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Births.

HAYES.—September 6, at her residence, Willow Cottage, Wilberforce, the wife of Mr. Richard Henry Hayes, of a son.

PFROST.—October 5, at Surry Hills, the wife of Henry A. Pfrost (of the firm of George Loxton and Co.), of a son.

FLEMING.—October 2, at Hauteville, [illegible] Fleming, of a daughter.

MASON.—September 24, at Telegraph [illegible], River Darling, the wife of W. G. Mason, of a daughter.

PALMER.—October 3, the wife of Ralph William Palmer, of a son.

SIMONS.—October 4, at her residence, 65, Barcom-street, the wife of G. D. Simons, of a daughter.

STILES.—October 3, at Kanoona, Bega, the wife of Charles T. Stiles, of a son.

Marriages.

VENTERS—M'CANN.—July 12, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. J. D. Murray, James Venters, only son of Charles Venters, of Newington, to Margaret Ann, eldest daughter of John M'Cann, of Hunter-street, Parramatta.

Deaths.

BRADSHAW.—October 6, at his residence, Wilmot-street, George Bradshaw, cabinetmaker, after a long and severe illness, aged 60 years.

M'GUFFIN.—On the 5th October, at the residence of his Son-in-law, 28, Wexford-street, Mr. Richard M'Guffin, senior, in his 86th year.

MILLES.—October 4, at the residence of his parents, 205, Liverpool-street, near Oxford-street, of diphtheria, William, the eldest dearly beloved son of George R. and Ellen Milles, aged 6 years.

SHAW.—October 1, at her daughter's residence, Eagle Vale, Campbelltown, Mary Shaw, widow of the late John Shaw, of Strath, Isle of Skye, aged 89 years.

Shipping.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).
The powerful s. BRISBANE,
J. A. Reddell, commander,
will be dispatched from Smith's, the E. and A. Jetty Wharf, at noon, on THURSDAY, 10th October, for HONGKONG, calling at COOKTOWN.
For freight and passage apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.
Captain REDDELL will not be responsible for any DEBTS incurred by his officers or crew without his written order.

PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO. OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN, THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with the N.S.W. and N.Z. Governments.
ZEALANDIA,
3000 tons.
H. Chevalier, commander,
will be dispatched
at 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, 10th October, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Drafts payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.
Passengers booked from Sydney to Liverpool, London, or Paris, with special advantages.
Through rate, from Sydney to Liverpool, first-class, £72.
For rates of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents, Gresham-street.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND direct.—The Pacific Mail steamer
ZEALANDIA,
3000 tons, H. Chevalier, commander,
will leave as above on THURSDAY, 10th October, at 3 p.m.
Fares at current rates.
Passengers for Waiwera Hot Springs by P. M. Co.'s steamers forwarded free from Auckland to Waiwera.
For freight or passage apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Gresham-street.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—MELBOURNE CUP AND OTHER RACES.
The P. M. S. S. Co.'s magnificent steamer,
CITY OF SYDNEY,
3000 tons, H. C. Dearborn, commander,
will be dispatched from SYDNEY on TUESDAY, the 29th October, at 12 noon.
For rates of passage, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Gresham-street.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street, as follows, weather permitting.

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER, CALLING AT ILUKA WHARF:	
CITY OF GRAFTON	TO-MORROW NIGHT, Tuesday, at 9.
FOR MACLEAY RIVER, VIA PORT MACQUARIE:	
BALLINA	THIS NIGHT, Monday, at 11.30.
FOR RICHMOND RIVER:	
PLATYPUS	Early.

Passage rates to and from Grafton.

Saloon:		Steerage:	
Single ticket	£3 0 0	Single ticket	£1 15 0
Return ditto	5 0 0	Return ditto	3 0 0

NOTE.—In consequence of the shallow state of the channel to Iluka Wharf, Clarence River, goods consigned to that place can only be forwarded every alternate week.
JOHN WHITE, Secretary, Sussex-street.

STEAM TO CLARENCE RIVER.—The steamship LUBRA will leave Market Wharf, on TUESDAY, 8th October, at 6 p.m., landing cargo at all wharfs on the river. Freight, 12s 6d per ton.
NIPPER and SEE.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).—The s.s. KEMBLA, for NEWCASTLE, from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, THIS (Monday) NIGHT, at 11; and TO-MORROW (Tuesday) NIGHT, at quarter-past 11.
Goods received for Miller's Forest this day.
Freight payable in Sydney.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.

THE MANNING RIVER STEAM N. COMPANY.—The s.s. DIAMANTINA, Captain Herron, will leave the Lime-street Wharf (foot of Erskine-street), for TAREE direct, on TUESDAY, at noon.
H. D. PORTUS, Agent.

NEW MANNING RIVER STEAM NAVIGATION CO.—Steamer BEAGLE, Captain Hersee, for TAREE, MANNING RIVER direct, TO-MORROW AFTERNOON, at 4, from Caledonian Wharf, King-street, (weather permitting).
Cargo being received.
JOHN RITCHIE, Agent.

HUNTER RIVER NEW STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.
FROM SYDNEY.
THIS (Monday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 9, the MORPETH.
GOODS will not be received after 5 p.m.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices—foot of Market-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.
PASSENGERS AND SHIPPERS ARE INFORMED THAT THE COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS WILL BE DISPATCHED AS FOLLOWS, FROM THEIR NEW WHARF (LATE CAMPBELL'S).
TO LEVUKA (Fiji).—Wentworth, after arrival of the Pacific mail, due 28th instant.
TO MELBOURNE.—Ly-ee-Moon, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30; and City of Adelaide, Saturday afternoon, at 1. Fares and freights at current rates.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Coonanbara, to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11; and City of Brisbane, Wednesday night, at 11.
TO CLARENCE TOWN.—For passengers and cargo.—Coonanbara, to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11. Freight payable in Sydney.
TO BRISBANE.—Egmont, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30; and Balclutha, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Balclutha, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO GLADSTONE.—Steamer from Brisbane every Tuesday.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—James Paterson, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO MACKAY.—Yaralla, from Brisbane, about Wednesday, 16th instant.
TO BROADSOUND, VIA ROCKHAMPTON.—James Paterson, Wednesday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO PORT DENISON, TO CLEVELAND BAY, TO CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY), TO PORT DOUGLAS (ISLAND POINT) — Egmont (without transhipment), this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
TO COOKTOWN WHARF, TO CARDWELL, TO KEPPEL BAY, TO FLAT TOP ISLAND — Egmont, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE, NEWCASTLE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.
The M. S. S. CO. will dispatch their STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE:		
MACEDON	C. Ashford	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 1 o'clock.
CHEVIOT	F. H. Stanford	FRIDAY, October 11.
BARRABOOL	J. B. Clark	TUESDAY, October 15.
FOR BRISBANE:		
EDINA	J. H. South	FRIDAY, at 4 o'clock.
THE CLARENCE	J. D. Harley	FRIDAY, October 18.
FOR MARYBOROUGH:		
EDINA	J. H. South	FRIDAY, at 4 o'clock.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON:		
THE CLARENCE	J. D. Harley	FRIDAY, October 18.

Carrying passengers and cargo. Return tickets issued to and from MELBOURNE, available for three (3) months, by any of the Company's steamers, leaving every TUESDAY and FRIDAY, and vice versa. Cargo received for the above ports every day.
These vessels have their SALOONS amidships, and are victualled by the owners. Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.—Bonded goods cannot be received for BRISBANE and NORTHERN PORTS after 3.30 p.m. on day of sailing.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.—The M. S. S. Co. will dispatch the steamship
MACEDON, 1000 tons,
Chas. Ashford, commander,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 1 o'clock,
for the above port.
For particulars apply to
WM. HOWARD SMITH, Struth's Wharf.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG and KIAMA.—To-night and To-morrow night, at 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow night, at 11.
MERIMBULA and EDEN.—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.
TATHRA (for Bega).—Wednesday, 9.15 a.m.; and Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA and CLYDE.—Friday, 9.15 a.m.
MORUYA.—Friday, at 11 p.m.

CHEAP EXCURSIONS.—PARRAMATTA, RYDE, ERMINGTON, and NEWINGTON STEAMERS, from KING-STREET, THIS DAY, at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. From Parramatta, 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5. COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE STEAMERS, from King-street, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12.30, 1, 3, 4.15, 11. FIVE DOCK, ASHFIELD, and BURWOOD, from King-street, 7, 10, 12.30, 4.15, 6.15. From Five Dock, 7.45, 8.30, 11 a.m., 5, 7 p.m. From Gladesville, 8, 8.45, 10, 11.15, 12, 2, 5.10, 7.10. From Hunter's Hill, 8.45, 9.5, 10.15, 11.25, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.20, 6.15, 7.20, calling at Cockatoo.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE FERRY.—Steamer WOMERAH leaves—
Lime-street Wharf, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5, 7
Lane Cove, 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6.
SATURDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 1.15 and 11.15 p.m.
Lane Cove, 10 p.m.
SUNDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 10, 2.30, 6.
Lane Cove, 9, 1, 5.

STEAM TO NEW CALEDONIA.—The splendid steamship,
GUNGA,
Henry Webber, commander,
will be despatched for NOUMEA from the A. S. N. Company's Wharf, twenty-four hours after the arrival of the Suez mail steamer.
For freight or passage apply to
MONTEFIORE and MONTEFIORE.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
WAKATIPU	1796	Wheeler	About 8th October, via Wellington.
ROTORUA	1000	M. Carey	23rd October, via Auckland.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 58, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO WELLINGTON AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.
The Union Company's powerful steamship
WAKATIPU,
1796 tons, E. Wheeler, commander,
will be dispatched as above from Smith's Wharf about TUESDAY next, booking cargo and passengers for all ports.
Passengers for Hokitika, West Port, and Greymouth booked at through rates.
SHIPPING ORDERS must be obtained for all cargo.
FREDK. W. JACKSON.

STEAM TO TASMANIA.—The T. S. N. COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS leave as under:—
FOR HOBART TOWN.—S.S. TASMAN, from Grafton Wharf, TUESDAY, 15th October, at 11 a.m.
FOR LAUNCESTON.—S.S. ESK, from Grafton Wharf, early in November.
For freight or passage apply to
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 48, Pitt-street.

FERN BAY.—MONDAY, October 7, steamer PELICAN will leave the Prince's Stairs, Circular Quay, at 8, 9.30, 11, and 1 o'clock. Tickets—Adults, 1s 6d; children under, 12, 1s. Hot and cold water provided.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS, THIS DAY (weather permitting)
leave Queen's Wharf, 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.30, 6.
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30.
Manly Beach, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.15, 4.45, 5.30.
No freight taken after 2.15.
Fare: Return ticket, 1s 6d; children, 1s. On Saturdays and Sundays return ticket, 1s. Extra late boats will leave Sydney for Manly Beach, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 11.15 p.m.

WATSON'S BAY STEAMERS.—Leave Watson's Bay, 8, 8.15, 11.45, 12.15, 3.30, 5; Circular Quay, 10.15, 2.15, 4.15, 5; Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 2.30.

BRISBANE WATER.—S. Pelican leaves King-st., To-morrow, 7.30 a.m.; return from Gosford 1.30 p.m.

ORIENT LINE OF STEAMSHIPS, FOR LONDON.
The following full-powered steamships will be dispatched for London, via the Suez Canal, as under:—

Steamer.	From Sydney.	From Melbourne.
GARONNE		October 12.
CHIMBORAZO	November 8.	November 16.
CUZCO	December.	December.

These steamships, expressly built and fitted for carrying passengers on long ocean voyages, are each of about 4000 tons register, and make the passage in about 40 days.
FARES:
FIRST SALOON, 60 to 75 guineas.
SECOND SALOON, 35 guineas.
THIRD-CLASS (enclosed cabins), 20 and 22 guineas.
Open berths for men only, 16 guineas.
Canal dues, eight shillings.
Apply in London to F. GREEN and CO., and ANDERSON, ANDERSON, and CO., Managers of the Orient Steam Navigation Company (limited); and in Sydney to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

S. S. GARONNE, FOR LONDON.
NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.
The Garonne will leave Melbourne on SATURDAY, the 12th October.
Passengers booking in Sydney will be franked on per A. S. N. Co.'s steamer to join her.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

FOR LONDON.—
The A1 magnificent frigate-built ship
ST. LAWRENCE,
942 tons register,
C. Johnson, R.N.R., commander,
will be dispatched from
SYDNEY FOR LONDON
on or about 20th November.
TO PASSENGERS.—This vessel offers special inducements, as the cabins are LARGE and WELL VENTILATED, and ONLY SALOON PASSENGERS are taken, at reduced rates.
For freight or passage, and all other information, apply to
B. CAMPBELL, Ship Broker; or
COWLISHAW, BROTHERS, Agents, 50, Pitt-street.
Wool received at Talbot's Stores.

DEVITT AND MOORE'S LINE OF SAILING SHIPS FOR LONDON.
These well-known favourite passenger ships will be dispatched in the following order:—

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	To sail.
HAWKESBURY	1120	Carvosso	October.
DUNBAR CASTLE	925	Brown	November.
LA HOGUE	1331	Wagstaff	January.
PARRAMATTA	1521	Goddard	February.

For freight or passage, plans of cabins, and all information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Gresham-street.

FOR LONDON,
for the February sales
the favourite clipper ship
HAWKESBURY,
1120 tons, D. Carvosso, commander.
This ship, with large present engagements for wool, will sail in all OCTOBER for the above sales.
For freight or passage apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED at MARSDEN and SON'S.

FOR LONDON.
FOR FEBRUARY SALES.
The splendid A1 clipper ship
ANN DUTHIE,
934 tons register,
William Hunter, commander.
Having a large quantity of wool in store, and the bulk of her dead weight ready for shipment, will be positively dispatched in ample time to catch the above sales.
This fast clipper is noted for the quickness and regularity of her passages, and offers the most eligible opportunity for shippers.
For freight or passage, apply to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Flood's Stores.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE—FOR LONDON.
FOR THE FEBRUARY SALES.
The SAMUEL PLIMSOLL, R. Boaden, commander, is now receiving wool at TALBOT'S STORES, and will be dispatched as above.
All her DEAD-WEIGHT is on board, and stowed.
For terms of freight, apply to the Captain, on board; or to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—FOR LONDON.—FOR THE FEBRUARY SALES,
the favourite clipper ship
NINEVEH,
1174 tons register,
JAMES LAWSON, Commander,
is now fast loading at the Circular Quay, and having large engagements will have prompt dispatch.
For terms of freight or passage apply to Captain LAWSON; or
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at TALBOT'S Stores.

FOR LONDON.
FOR FEBRUARY SALES.
NOW LOADING AT THE CIRCULAR QUAY.
WOOL RECEIVED AT TALBOT AND CO.'S.
The splendid new Clyde clipper
CYNISCA,
100 A1 at Lloyd's,
THOMAS HUTTON, Commander,
having her dead weight and other cargo on board, and requiring but a LIMITED QUANTITY OF WOOL, her early dispatch is ensured for the February sales.
TO PASSENGERS who may prefer travelling by a fast sailing ship, combined with quiet and comfort, this beautiful vessel presents a very favourable opportunity.
The SALOON is handsomely fitted, and the STATE ROOMS roomy and completely fitted with cabin furniture.
The SECOND-CLASS accommodations are of a superior character, and have abundant light and ventilation.
Inspection of the ship, at the Circular Quay, Pitt-street, is invited.
Passage money, £25 and upwards.
For freight or passage early application is necessary.
MASON, BROTHERS, Agents, 14, Spring-street.

FOR LONDON.
FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
The splendid A1 clipper ship
CAMBRIAN PRINCESS,
1350 tons register,
James M'Gill, commander.
This fine vessel having the whole of her dead weight, and large wool engagements will be dispatched in ample time to catch the above sales.
For rates of freight, &c., apply to the Captain on board; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.
WOOL NOW RECEIVED AT FLOOD AND CO.'S.

FOR LONDON.
For February Wool Sales,
The splendid new clipper barque,
WINDERMERE,
Having all her dead weight and a quantity of wool stowed, besides large wool engagements, will be dispatched as above.
For rates of freight and passage, apply to Captain TICKLE, on board, at Circular Quay; or
LORIMER, ROME, and CO., Agents, 34, O'Connell-street.
Wool received at Flood's.

FOR LONDON,
with immediate dispatch,
the magnificent clipper ship
THOMAS STEPHENS,
1507 tons register, built under special survey,
and classed AA1 at Lloyd's,
Richard Richards, commander.
This splendid clipper having just arrived from London in 77 days, and being noted for her fast passages, will be dispatched for the February sales, for which she offers the best opportunity, a large portion of her dead weight and wool being already engaged.
For rates of freight, apply to
CHARLES PARBURY, Gresham-street; or to
YOUNG and LARK, George and Margaret streets.
WOOL RECEIVED AT FLOOD'S.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS FOR ENGLAND.—Steam to LONDON, via SUEZ CANAL.
Messrs. Money Wigram and Sons' splendid clipper steamship
DURHAM,
2234 tons register, 300 horse-power, nominal (1500 indicated), built expressly for the Australian passenger trade,
F. ANDERSON, Commander,
will be despatched from MELBOURNE, for LONDON, direct, on SATURDAY, 26th OCTOBER,
carrying Saloon, Second and Third Class, and Steerage passengers.
FARES:

Saloon (according to accommodation required).	
Second Class	£27 to £30.
Third Class	£18 to £22.
Steerage	£16.

Canal dues, 8s extra.
A liberal allowance made for families.
For plans of cabins, and all particulars, apply to
M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.
To be followed by NORTHUMBERLAND (s.) early in December.

ONLY VESSEL FOR TAHITI.
The clipper brig
CLEMENCE MARIE,
331 tons register, being UNDER CHARTER, will be dispatched as above in a few days.
Has room for a few tons of freight if engaged at once.
For terms of freight apply to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.

FOR ADELAIDE.—The clipper brig WAVERLEY, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched about TUESDAY next. For freight, &c., apply to E. W. MOLESWORTH, Circular Quay.

FOR PORT MACKAY.—Clipper schooner, MIST, having most of her cargo engaged, will be dispatched in a few days. For freight apply J. J. AIKEN, 59, Exchange-corner.

FOR BOWEN and TOWNSVILLE.—The clipper schooner JESSIE KELLY will have immediate dispatch from Market Wharf.
MOODIE and MONRO.

FOR TWEED RIVER.—TRUE BLUE sails from Market Wharf first fair wind.

FOR MORUYA.—MOSES FLETCHER receives cargo TO-MORROW. HENRY CLARKE, Victoria Wharf.

FOR BERMAGUI, Cobargo.—ADVANCE sails THIS DAY. HENRY CLARKE, Victoria Wharf.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.
The business of this Company is now carried on at their new Wharf (late Campbell's), next Circular Quay.
F. H. TROUTON, Manager.

WANTED to CHARTER VESSEL, to carry about 20,000 feet timber, from Port Macquarie. Apply
R. GRAY, SON, and CO., York-street.

VESSELS of all descriptions designed and models made, on the most reasonable terms. Apply J. ORR, 102, John-street, Pyrmont.

FOR SALE, the clipper schooner Samoa, 165 tons reg. E. LOWTHER, Sussex-st.; or J. Thorne, Exchange-corner.

CENTREBOARD Skiff DINGY for SALE, 17½ feet, gear complete; £15. 4, Bond-street.

FOR SALE, a smart handsome Centre KETCH, 45 tons, C. and C. fastened, nearly new, well found, good order; £550.
GEORGE SPEARS, Cowper Wharf.

QUANDONG and several smaller STEAMERS for HIRE daily. Dry Dock Ferry Office, Erskine-street.

FRENCH BRIG, CLEMENCE MARIE.—I recognise as Agent of my vessel the captain, F. SABATIER, 216, Castlereagh-street.
P. RAZOULS.

STEAMSHIP WHAMPOA, from London.—This vessel having completed the discharge of her inward cargo, ALL GOODS now on the wharf are at the risk of the CONSIGNEES.
JOHN FRAZER and CO., Agents.

QUAY BERTHS vacant: first-class wharfage and storage. G. F. MASON, Patent Slip Wharf.

FLOATING DOCK, DARLING HARBOUR.—THOMAS S. ROWNTREE and CO., Wood and Composite Shipbuilders and Blacksmiths. Ships of any size docked; repairs and work efficiently carried out on the most reasonable terms. Masts, spars, and ship timber of every description always on hand.

WHARFAGE.
NOTICE TO SHIPOWNERS.
Vessels having cargoes, or portions of cargoes, for shipment in the Australasian Steam Navigation Company's steamers will be accommodated at the Company's wharf free of charge. Application to be made to
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE SOUTH BRITISH INSURANCE COMPANY of NEW ZEALAND (Unlimited).
Capital, £1,000,000. Reserve Fund, £80,000.
The UNDERSIGNED Agents for NEW SOUTH WALES are effecting every description of Insurances at current rates. Claims for losses settled promptly, and can be made payable in LONDON, or at any of the Agencies in AUSTRALIA or NEW ZEALAND.
M. METCALFE and CO.,
9, Bridge-street.

UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
Chief Office—35, Cornhill, London.
Capital—£1,000,000; paid up, £250,000.
WOOL and ALL PRODUCE insured to London. Claims payable at chief office.
WOOL insured through from stations.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO.,
Agents for New South Wales.
Exchange-corner, Sydney.

Volunteer Notices.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
ADDITIONS TO PROGRAMME.
TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL Prize,
for the highest aggregate score in the 6th, 13th, and 17th matches.
Prize Trophy, value £10, to be selected by the winner, presented by the proprietors of the TOWN AND COUNTRY JOURNAL.
Twenty-first.—SYDNEY MAIL Match, open to all Volunteers, excepting members of the Permanent Staff who have obtained the Marksman's Badge in 1877 or 1878; 5 shots at 500, 600, and 700 yards; position as in musketry instruction. Entrance, 5s. Prizes, £25, presented, by the proprietors of the SYDNEY MAIL.
£5, £4, £3, and four at £2—£45.
Special Conditions.—Competitors must shoot in "Drill" or "Field-day" order, with full accoutrements.
W. FOSKETT, Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
PRACTICE for the Intercolonial Military Rifle Match, commenced on the 1st, and will continue to the 31st October inclusive. Competitors may shoot once on any day in which NO PREVIOUS PRACTICE has been obtained. The entrance fee of 10s, entitling the competitor to all the privileges of membership, must be paid with the first practice, and be forwarded to the undersigned with that score.
WM. FOSKETT, Secretary.

NO. 1 BATTERY, V. A.—GUN DRILL THIS EVENING, 7.30, Dawes Battery.
F. FAHEY, Captain.

NO. 2 COMPANY.—No DRILL TO-NIGHT. C. A. WILSON, Captain.

NO. 3 CO.—DRILL, THIS EVENING, 7.30, Hyde Park; Undress. W. T. FARRELL, Captain.

NO. 5 CO., 1st REGIMENT.—DRILL, TO-NIGHT, Victoria Barracks, 7.30; Committee meet after. W. JOHNSTON, Captain.

NO. 6 CO.—DRILL TO-NIGHT, 7.30; Committee meet after. J. H. MORRIS, Captain.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDER for SALE. State highest price to T. Z. Iredale, Oxford-street.

VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS bought and sold. GORDON and FLEAY, 185, Pitt-street.

VOL. L. ORDERS bought and sold. F. SOMERS, 1[illegible], Pitt-street, 10 to 4; after 6 p.m., Bluck's Hotel, Surry Hills.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
TO-DAY, at 11 a.m., THE FINAL SALE of JAPANESE ART TREASURES.
The last opportunity of purchasing.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB,
Auctioneers, Spring and O'Connell streets.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

SCHWEPPE'S MINERAL WATERS have been renowned for their excellence and purity for upwards of a century, and almost universally recommended by the leading medical men of the day—have always had the patronage of Royalty, and continue to be supplied to her Majesty the QUEEN. At Hotels, Cafés, &c., ask for SCHWEPPE'S, and see that the trade mark—a fountain—is on the label over the cork. Sydney Office, 62, Margaret-street. Head Office [illegible]

Personal.

MR. JAMES BRADLEY, late of Camperdown,—Please call on A. MIHELL, this day, at Bridge-street.

MRS. LYONS, or her Son, DAVID LYONS,—Please call or send your address to HENRY OTRIGE, 42, Albion-street, off Mary-street, Surry Hills, and greatly oblige.

MARY ANN STAINER, formerly of the Randwick Asylum, is anxious to hear from her relations. Please address Mrs. COLLIS, News Agent, 205, George-street West.

Lost and Found.

CHUBBS' KEYS, two on a small ring. Reward at Office, 24, Oxford-street.

LOST, on Saturday, in Woolloomooloo, a small Silver-mounted SCENT BOTTLE. Reward. 152, Bourke-street.

LOST, between Rose Bay and Darling Point, black HAND BAG, containing purse. Reward, 399, George-st.

LOST, in Forest Lodge, a Photographic LENS and FOCUSSING GLASS. Reward. 173, Clarence-street.

LOST, Black-and-tan TERRIER. Reward; or, if stolen, £1 on conviction. Lee, Ivy Lodge, Pitt-street, Redfern.

LOST, a roll of PLANS, for new stores in Market-street. Reward. Messrs. MANSFIELD, Pitt-street.

LOST, a CANARY, on Sunday. Reward. Mrs. COLES, Milson's Point.

LOST, on Friday night, in Woollahra, a Black-and-tan TERRIER DOG, with blue collar on. Any one finding him send address to H. C., Waverley Post-office. Reward.

LOST, a Rough Skye TERRIER; owner's name on collar. Reward will be given on return, to 5, Gresham-street.

LOST.—All parties are cautioned against negotiating a CHEQUE, drawn by the undersigned in favour of Mr. Kerr, for £6 10s, dated 22nd April, 1878. Payment stopped. THEOS. H. BOLGER, Marionette, Cook's River.

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NOTICE.—LOST, a black and tan Terrier DOG. Finder rewarded on bringing the same to 30, Hosking-place, off Castlereagh-street.

STOLEN, early on Thursday morning, Golden-spangled Poland COCK, long spurs. Kenway, 70, Hay-st., Haymarket.

STRAYED, from University-paddock, 1 White Poley COW, red ears, spotted neck, branded WX on ribs. Ten shillings reward if returned to DAVIS, Richard-street, Newtown.

FOUND, two KAURI LOGS. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Wharfinger, Baltic Wharf.

FOUND, near Burwood Station, a PURSE. Apply to Station Master.

FOUND, by thousands, improved health, since using REDGATE'S PATENT MEAL.

Religious Announcements.

EVANGELISTIC WORK.
Mr. HENRY VARLEY,
MASONIC HALL.
Prayer Meeting from 12 to 1, TO-DAY.
Address by Mr. Varley, 7.30, TO-NIGHT.
JOHN ALEX. DOWIE, W. CORRIE JOHNSTON, Hon. Secs.

PASTOR CHINIQUY.
Persons desirous of communicating with Pastor CHINIQUY, will address the same to the Secretaries, 577, George-street.
Persons desirous of assisting Pastor Chiniquy in his special Mission can send their subscriptions to the Secretaries, or the Rev GEORGE SUTHERLAND, Ross-street, Forest Lodge, who will acknowledge the same.
FRANCIS ABIGAIL, THOMAS LUTTON, Joint Secretaries.

Lectures.

EX-PRIEST CHINIQUY, of Canada.
This Gentlemen will lecture in the Protestant Hall, THIS EVENING, October 7, at 8 o'clock, to MALES ONLY.
Subject:
Auricular Confession.
Roman Catholics, Fathers, Husbands, and Brothers especially invited.
Admission—One shilling.
FRANCIS ABIGAIL, THOMAS LUTTON, Joint Secs.

SPIRITISM.—Mr. MELVILLE'S Lecture postponed until further notice.

MRS. EMMA HARDINGE BRITTEN will deliver her second week Night LECTURE at Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 8th instant, at 8 p.m. Subject:—"Witchcraft and Sorcery."
Admission, 1s 6d and 1s. Doors open at 7.30 p.m.

Educational.

ASHFIELD.—The College. Principal: Mrs. HARRY. Non-students may attend the Classes. Vacancies.

AN EXPERIENCED Piano Teacher visits and gives LESSONS at her residence. 31, Lower Fort-street.

A GOOD HANDWRITING or BOOKKEEPING guaranteed to ladies or gentlemen of any age in a few short easy lessons, at any hour, day or evening. NORRIS'S Writing Institute, 34, Park-street. Established 1861.

BOYS' PREPARATORY SCHOOL, 1, Roslyn-terrace, Darlinghurst.
Principal, Miss MACKAY.
Referees: Rev. C. Badham, D.D., S. University; Rev. J. D. Langley, Surry Hills; Hon. Sir G. W. Allen, C.M.G., S. L. A., Strathmore; W. J. Stephens, Esq., M.A., New School, Darlinghurst; E. T. Blackett, Esq., Balmain; Dr. Deck, Macquarie-st.
Summer Term commences October 7.

CALDER HOUSE, REDFERN.
Principal, J. DAVID SLY, M.A., LL.D.
Second Master, J. OLIVER, B.A. (Class and Sec. Hon.)
Studies were resumed THURSDAY, 3rd instant.

EGLINTON, Glebe Point.—Classes reassemble on MONDAY, October 7. Principal, Mrs. ROWLEY HORSLEY.

HEREFORD COLLEGE, Denmark Lodge, Glebe Road.—Principal, Mrs. Gray. English, £1 1s; Music, £1 1s; Singing, £1 1s; Dancing, £1 1s, per quarter; Wax Flowers, eight lessons, £1 1s; private lessons in accomplishments. Vacancies for boarders.

LLANFOYST.—Ladies' Academy, Victoria-st., Randwick. Conducted by Mrs. Harvey. School resumed Oct. 7.

MUSIC.—Mr. F. MORLEY, 3, Surry-street, Darlinghurst. Pianoforte, Organ, Harmonium, Theory, &c.

MUSIC.—Miss WOOLLEY will resume lessons TUESDAY, October 8.

MISS DEANSON and Mrs. HILLIARD, Reiby House, Newtown. The quarter will commence MONDAY, Oct. 7.

MRS. RYAN, Teacher of Singing and Pianoforte, has removed to 3, Maximus-terrace, Glebe Road.

MR. E. S. DEANE, Professor of Music, Teacher of Organ, Pianoforte, Violin, English Concertina, Guitar, &c. Maitland House, Balmain, and PALING'S, George-street.

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MINNAVILLE SCHOOL.—Miss CONNOR begs to inform the Parents and Guardians of her Pupils that she has removed from 63, Oxford-street, to 357, Liverpool-street, corner of Upper Dowling-street, Darlinghurst.
Referees: The Very Rev. the Dean of Sydney, Rev. T. Hayden, Rev. J. D. Langley, Rev. R. M'Keown.

MECHANICS' SCHOOL OF ARTS.
LADIES' DRAWING CLASS.
This Class will resume Work THIS DAY at the usual hour.
JOHN ROGERS, Secretary.

RIVIERE COLLEGE (on the Heights of Woollahra). Principals—Professor and Mrs. GOERGS.

ROWENA COLLEGE, Deepdene, Clenmore Road.—Principal, Miss RUSSELL.—Studies will be resumed on October 7.

ROSEBANK, DARLINGHURST.—The Misses MARTIN will be prepared for the return of their pupils on MONDAY, October 7, when studies will be resumed.

SYDNEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.—The next quarter will begin at 9.30 a.m., on MONDAY, October 7.
A. B. WEIGALL, Head-master.

SYDNEY LADIES' COLLEGE.—Miss FLOWER politely requests the punctual attendance of Pupils and Professors, on TUESDAY, October 8.

SYDNEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL.
NOTICE.
The Secretary will be in attendance at the School on TUESDAY, the 8th instant, at 10 a.m., to receive the FEES of the Upper School; and on WEDNESDAY, the 9th instant, to receive the FEES of the Lower School.
Any Boy who shall fail to pay his Fees by FRIDAY, the 11th October, will be supposed to have left the School, and the vacancy will be filled up.
W. H. CATLETT, Secretary.
1st October, 1878.

THE Misses HARDIE, SHIRLEY, Edgecliff Road. The Summer Term will commence on Monday, October 7.

THE Misses GILLAM, Ailantus, 170, William-street.—Studies will be resumed on MONDAY, 7th October.

THE NEW SCHOOL (1867), Darlinghurst Road, Sydney.
Summer Term commences MONDAY, October 7, at 10 a.m.
Report (No. 89) may be had on application.

A GENTLEMAN is desirous of recommending Frenchman of good bearing, and speaking a little English, to schools in commerce. Alpha, Ashfield.

LADY desires Music or German PUPILS at their residences, Saturday morning. R. M., Pierce's, William-street.

DANCING.—Mr. J. HALL'S Classes for pupils and visitors THIS EVENING, Oddfellows' Hall, Sussex-street.

SWIMMING, SWIMMING, SWIMMING.—Lieutenant F. A. von HAMMER has commenced his lessons in swimming as usual at Mr. Foley's, late Mr. M'Quig's Baths, Domain. The bath has been thoroughly renovated, the management is superior, and I can confidently recommend it to my old patrons and pupils, and the public in general.

TUTOR wanted, for a neighbouring colony. Address, with qualifications and salary required. Tutor, Herald.

Meetings.

SUBURBAN MUNICIPALITIES.
The Mayors and Aldermen of the Suburban Municipalities are respectfully requested to meet at the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, the 8th instant, at 4 o'clock p.m., sharp, to consider the "Bill to consolidate and amend the laws relating to the Corporation of the City of Sydney," now before Parliament.
W. H. PIGOTT,
Chairman of Municipal Conference.

SYDNEY INFIRMARY and DISPENSARY.—A Special General MEETING of the Subscribers will be held in St. James' Schoolroom, Castlereagh-street, on the evening of WEDNESDAY, 9th instant, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the proposed Act of Incorporation for the Institution.
By order of the Board.
H. D. RUSSELL, Secretary.
1st October.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1879.
The Committee will meet at the Rooms, 227, George-street, on FRIDAY next, the 11th instant.
HENRY M. WRIGHT, A. Secretary.

HEALTH SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—The Annual MEETING of members of this Society will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 9th of October instant, at 4 o'clock p.m.
BURTON BRADLEY, Hon. Sec.
64, Margaret-street, 4th October, 1878.

NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.
The Adjourned Annual MEETING, will be held at Tattersall's, THIS EVENING, at 8 o'clock.
A Committee MEETING will be held after the annual meeting.
JOHN M. GIBSON, Hon. Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES NATIONAL REGATTA.
ANNIVERSARY DAY, 1879.
Committee MEETING, at Exchange Hotel, on MONDAY EVENING, 7th instant, at 8 o'clock.
Full attendance particularly requested,
C. A. BENBOW, Hon. Sec.

BURWOOD SCHOOL OF ARTS.
MEETING of Subscribers (adjourned from Monday last), THIS EVENING, Council-chambers, at 8 o'clock.
Business: To elect Trustees and approve of Deed.
KELSO KING, T. B. WEDDERBURN, Hon. Secretaries.

NEW SOUTH WALES INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB AND BLIND.—The Annual MEETING of this Institution will be held at the Institution, Newtown Road, on MONDAY, October 14, at 3 o'clock p.m. His Excellency the Governor has kindly promised to preside.
ELLIS ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING CLUB.—Debate, THIS (Monday) EVENING: "Is the personal character of Oliver Cromwell worthy of admiration?".
PERCEVAL PEDLEY, Hon. Sec.

KERRAWARY SLATE QUARRY.
A MEETING of Shareholders will be held at half-past 7 p.m., on TUESDAY, 8th instant, at the Office of
W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

TO THE RIGHT WORSHIPFUL THE MAYOR OF SYDNEY.
Right Worshipful Sir,—We, the undersigned Citizens, beg most respectfully to request that you will convene a Public MEETING, to urge the Government to make arrangements to carry out their proposals for City and Suburban Railway Extension early in the present session.
LASSETTER and CO.
J. F. JOSEPHSON
G. P. SLADE
T. K. BOWDEN
and 150 other signatures.
Town Hall, Sydney, 1st October, 1878.
In pursuance with the above Requisition I hereby convene a PUBLIC MEETING of the Citizens of Sydney, to be holden at the Temperance Hall, Sydney, on FRIDAY, the 11th instant, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose therein specified.
JAMES MERRIMAN, Mayor.

BOOTMAKERS and FINISHERS' PROTECTIVE SOCIETY.—A MEETING will be held at Hall's Hotel, corner of George and Goulburn streets, THIS EVENING (Monday), the 7th instant, at 7.30. J. GREENWOOD, Secretary.

WORKING MEN'S DEFENCE.—A MEETING This (Monday) Evening, Bathurst-st. Column. J. West, s.

WORKING Men's Mort Memorial.—Full Committee MEETING, To-night, 7.30. R. Kay, A. Allen, joint secs.

MASONIC.—Lodge of Australia, 390 E. C.—Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, at 7 prompt.

MASONIC.—Australian Social Mother Lodge.—No. O., N.S.W.C., This Evening, Temple, Clarence-st. A. Smith, s.

LOYAL ORANGE INSTITUTION.—The Monthly MEETING of GRAND LODGE will be held in Protestant Hall, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) EVENING, at half-past 7 sharp.
W. HENSON, G. Secretary.

L. GOLDEN GATE LODGE.—I. O. O. F. MEETING, TUESDAY NIGHT, 8th October; quarterly report.
D. PASS.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS.—The Worthy Grand Lodge of Australasia will be OPENED by Delegates from Victoria, South Australia, Queensland, Tasmania, New Zealand, and New South Wales, at Temperance Hall, Sydney, on MONDAY, October 14. Programme will be fully advertised in SYDNEY MORNING HERALD of Saturday, October 12.

NORTH WILLIAMS GOLD MINING COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Office, 177, Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, October 16, at 3.30 p.m., to receive Directors' Report and Balance Sheet to September 30, and to determine whether operations shall be continued any longer or not.
By order of the Board.
GEO. HARDIE, Manager.

CLARENCE and RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, SYDNEY (Incorporated by Act of Parliament).
In accordance with a resolution passed at the last half-yearly general meeting, held in Sydney, a Special GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, at 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 17th day of October next, to consider the question of Marine Insurance.
JOHN WHITE, Secretary.
Sussex-street, September 17, 1878.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.—A Half-Yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's offices, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th October, at 2 o'clock p.m., to receive the Report of the Directors for the half-year ending 30th September; to elect two Directors in the room of Messrs. R. G. Reading and F. Perks, who retire by rotation (being eligible for re-election); and to elect one Auditor in place of Mr. William Laing (likewise eligible for re-election).
By order of the Board.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
27th September, 1878.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY.
Messrs. R. G. READING and F. PERKS have given the requisite notice that they are CANDIDATES for re-election, as above, to the office of Director.
ALEXANDER THOMSON, Secretary.
7th October, 1878.

THE UNITED INSURANCE COMPANY.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General MEETING of the Shareholders will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, Exchange, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd October, 1878, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive the Report of the Directors for the year ending 30th September, 1878; to elect a Director, in the room of Richard Hill, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; and two Auditors, in the room of Messrs. W. E. Langley and R. A. Cape, both being eligible for re-election; and to transact any other business that may be brought before the meeting, in terms of the Deed of Settlement.
Candidates for the vacant seat in the direction are required to give fourteen days' notice thereof in writing.
By order of the Board.
F. T. WATKINS, Manager.
4th October, 1878.

INDUSTRIAL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY (Limited).
NOTICE is hereby given that a SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, 205, York-street, Sydney, at 12 o'clock noon on WEDNESDAY, the sixteenth day of October instant.
Business: Progress report and interim dividend.
By order of the Board of Directors,
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.
Sydney, 5th October, 1878.

Business Announcements.

THE PARTNERSHIP existing between THOMAS W. BACHELL and JOHN S. TAYLOR, as Booksellers, Stationers, and Bookbinders, at the Newtown Book Depot, Newtown, has this day been DISSOLVED by mutual consent.
Signed this 1st day of August, 1878.
(Signed) THOMAS W. BACHELL. JOHN S. TAYLOR.
Witnesses—THOMAS CORBETT, W. THOMPSON, H. S. PHILPOTT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between JOHN CRAIG, GEORGE CRAIG, and ROBERT CRAIG, carrying on business together as Sailmakers, under the style or firm of "CRAIG, BROTHERS," at Day and Erskine streets, Sydney, has been DISSOLVED from the thirtieth day of June last past; and such business will in future be carried on by JOHN CRAIG and GEORGE CRAIG, under the name, firm, or style, of CRAIG, BROTHERS; and all DEBTS due to the said late firm will be received and all DEBTS due by them will be paid by the said John Craig and George Craig on behalf of the late firm.
Dated this nineteenth day of August, A.D. 1878.
(Signed) JOHN CRAIG.
GEORGE CRAIG (by his Attorney, John Craig).
ROBERT CRAIG.
Witness—(Signed) T. RODDAM.
R. DAIVES, Solicitor.

NOTICE.—We, the undersigned, beg to advise the public that we have this day entered into Partnership as General Auctioneers, Land, Estate, and House Agents, and have secured those central premises, No. 164, Pitt-street, which we intend opening as Sale Rooms immediately on the alterations being completed.
JAMES PRINGLE.
GEORGE HYNARD.
164, Pitt-street, 1st October, 1878.

THE ESK SMELTING CO., Bowenfels, are purchasers of COPPER ORE, at highest prices.
For particulars apply Mr. LEWIS LLOYD, Bathurst or Bowenfels; or W. J. WESTON and CO., Agents, 4, Spring-street.

Business Cards.

A CARD.—SIMS and PARKES, Wholesale and Retail HERBALISTS, TREAT ALL DISEASES. 246, George-st. N.

A CARD.—G. PEACOCK, Jam Manufacturer, Hobart Town; also, 242 Box, General Post Office, Sydney.

AUTOTYPE WORK for the profession and others. ROBINSON, Grimes-buildings, Argyle-place, Miller's Pt.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH.—Those who wish to obtain the above, made on the latest English principles, should consult Mr. J. E. CARTER, Surgical and Mechanical Dentist (from London), who guarantees perfect fit, mastication, and natural appearance, at a very moderate cost. Painless extraction by the nitrous oxide gas. All dental operations skilfully performed. Consultations free at Mr. Carter's residence, 26, College-street, Hyde Park.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH INIMITABLE.—Mr. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, Dentist, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square, has just received a large supply of the new Diatoric Mineral Teeth, &c., &c., ex Garonne. Inspection invited. Every operation in dentistry skilfully performed. Established in the colonies 1853. CAUTION.—Not connected with any other person. Beware mistakes from similarity of names.

BILLIARD BALLS coloured and adjusted; English Skittles on hand. H. Milgrove and Son, op. Town Hall.

COLONIAL OVENS, Register Grates, Exeter Cooking Stoves. Reduced prices. G. Fletcher and Son, Oxford-street.

DR. ALEXANDER PATERSON, A.M., M.D., C.M., F.R.C.S., Hill-cres., Stanmore Road, op. Wesleyan Chapel.

DR. S. CONRADI, M.D., Physican, Surgeon, &c., 6, Carlton-ter., Wynyard-sq., at Mr. G. Gabriel's, the dentist.

DR. R. LIVINGSTONE MEARNS, D.D.S., DENTIST,
late of the University of Aberdeen and the Philadelphia Dental College,
36, WYNYARD-SQUARE.
The CONSERVATIVE treatment of the Natural Teeth a SPECIALTY.
Consultation hours—9 a.m. till 5 p.m.

EADY and SON, Tanners and Curriers, Importers of Leather and Grindery, Curriers' Tools, &c.

EVERY Lady can make her own dress. Patterns tried and fitted on by Madame de la Sicotiere, 520, George-street.

FINEST LUNCHEON ROOMS in Sydney. A la Flore Australiènne. H. de JOSSELIN, 22, Charlotte-place.

FRENCH'S BOOTS are all smooth-lined inside.—Ladies, try them for your children; they fit well, go so easy, and wear six months. 639, George-street, Haymarket.

FAMILY MOURNING.—The Cheapest House in Sydney for Ready-made and Unmade Goods, of every description, is E. WAY'S, Importer of Family and Complimentary Mourning Goods, 261, Pitt-street.

GLUE'S LABOUR AGENCY, 176, Pitt-street. Labour for engagement daily at the Agency.

HENRI de JOSSELIN'S first-class Luncheon and Refreshment Rooms. A la Flore Australiènne, 22, Charlotte-p[lace].

H. W. LOVEDAY, High-class Tuner and Repairer of Pianos, &c. Reading and Co.'s, 356, George-street.

THE HIGHEST Price given for gentlemen's Left-off Clothing. J. Murphy, corner of Kent and Liverpool streets.

HIGHEST price given for Left-off Clothing. New and second-hand Clothing sold cheap. Mrs. Dawes, 42, Campbell-street.

J. C. W. HINSCH, 160, Pitt-street, Importer of all kinds of Island Trade Goods.

LADIES' LUNCHEON-ROOMS now open. First-class Bedrooms for gentlemen. 22, Charlotte-place.

LEWIS and CONWAY, Public Accountants and Trade Assignees, Auditors, and Valuators, 303, George-street (first floor), Sydney.

MR. WETHERELL, Surgeon, Carisbrooke, Underwood-street, Paddington. Hours, from 9 to 12 a.m., and from 3 to 6 p.m.
N.B.—Night cases cannot be attended to.

MR. JOHN SPENCER, 8, Wynyard-square, received the highest award in the section for Mechanical Dentistry, at New South Wales Agricultural Exhibition for 1878. Judges' memo: First prize for the greatest excellence of workmanship and material. Also the London and Philadelphia Centennial Medals for Artificial Teeth, against every competitor.
All orders perfected on the most approved principles, and at the shortest notice.
Painless extraction by aid of nitrous oxide gas.

PHOTOGRAPHS in Ferrotype.—Your likeness taken and finished in five minutes, at 616, Brickfield-hill.

RICHARD M'COY (late M'Coy, Brothers), Boot Warehouse, REMOVED to 492, George-street, opposite Markets.

SYDNEY CARPET-BEATING GROUND, Rushcutter Bay. CHARLES ARTLETT, Upholsterer.

SPECTACLES, 1s; tinted eye preservers, 1s; goggles, 1s; eye glasses, 1; Brazilian pebbles, 10s 6d. Spectacles, &c., made to order. Mr. SOLOMON, the only qualified Optician in the colony, 639, George-street South. N.B.—Beware of incompetence.

TOWNSHIP OF BOWRAL.—Attention is specially directed to the Sale, on 9th October, of VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS in this RISING and HEALTHY TOWNSHIP, each lot having 1 chain frontage to WIDE streets by a depth of 5 chains. See Auction colum.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

WEDDING PARTIES take Notice.—One to ten CARRIAGES supplied 5 per cent. below any fare. 33, Bligh-street.

WANTED to buy ladies and gentlemen's Left-off CLOTHING. A large quantity for SALE at A. W. COFFEY'S, Goulburn-street, between George and Sussex streets. Ball and funeral suits lent on the most reasonable terms. Letters attended to.

Tenders.

IN the ASSIGNED ESTATE of DRINKWATER and CO., Storekeepers, &c., Grafton.—TENDERS are hereby invited until MONDAY, the 14th day of October, for the Purchase of the Assets in this Estate, consisting of a large and varied stock of goods usually found in a leading country store, book debts and working plant, either conjointly or separately. The stock is now open for inspection on the premises, where lists, forms of tender, and every information can be obtained; or from the undersigned.
J. T. DAVENPORT and CO.,
Trade Assignees and Accountants, George and Wynyard streets.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S WHARFS and WAREHOUSES, situated in SUSSEX-STREET, DARLING HARBOUR.
Sealed TENDERS, addressed to the Board of Directors of the A. S. N. Co., will be received up to noon of FRIDAY, the 18th instant.
1st.—For the purchase of the unexpired term of lease of the premises known as the MELBOURNE JETTY, and the approaches and sheds attached thereto.
2nd.—For the purchase of the remainder of the tenure of lease of the property known as RUSSELL'S WHARF, with the sheds, &c., &c.
3rd.—For the lease of the freehold property formerly known as the HUNTER RIVER WHARF, with offices, sheds, &c., thereon, for a period expiring 30th June, 1880.
Tenders will be received for the wharf or wharfs separately, or in one lot.
Tenders to be marked "Tenders for Wharf."
The Company does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.
Full particulars, conditions, and form of tender may be seen at the new offices of the Company (late Campbell's) on TUESDAY next.
FRED. H. TROUTON, Manager.

TO CARPENTERS.—FRESH TENDERS are invited for ALTERATIONS to PAVILION on Association Cricket Ground, Moore Park. An extended time will be allowed for the completion of the work. Plans and Specifications may be seen on application at the office of the Architect's, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before THURSDAY, the 10th instant.
MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects, 165, Pitt-street.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of Additional Stories on two Stone Buildings at Manly Beach.
Plans and specification may be seen at my Office, where Tenders are to be delivered on the 11th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect, Park and Pitt streets.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited for the Erection of a Cottage Residence off George-street West.
Plans and specification may be seen at my Office, where Tenders are to be delivered on the 12th instant.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect, Park and Pitt streets.

TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS are invited till the 10th instant for Alterations and Additions to a Villa Residence at Ashfield.
Plans and specification may be seen on application at my Office.
A. L. ELPHINSTONE, Jun., Architect, Park and Pitt streets.

TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.—TENDERS are required from duly qualified medical practitioners to Attend the members and families of the Prince Alfred Lodge, No. 21, Protestant Alliance, Botany. Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned on or before the 9th instant.
SAMUEL J. BUTLER, Secretary.

TENDERS required for Clearing the Roads in South Rookwood. For particulars, apply to Mr. M'MILLAN; or to the Poundkeeper, Bankstown; or to MILLS and PILE, 154, Pitt-street, where tenders are to be sent on or before the 12th instant.

TENDERS invited until 15th instant, for the Erection and Completion of Villa, at Ashfield. Separate tenders, or the whole in one sum. Plans and specifications at No. 3 Starr-Bowkett Building Society, Pitt-street.

TO PAINTERS.—TENDERS required for Painting of Woodwork of House, Crown Road, Ultimo. Apply E. T. NEWELL, Waterloo-chambers, 470, George-street.

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THIS EVENING, Monday, October 7,
THE NEW PRINCESS UNCLE TOM'S
COMBINATION COMPANY
in Mrs. Beecher Stowe's Moral and Religious Drama,
entitled
UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.
The only correct version, with the permission of the dramatizer,
Mr. W. H. WALLACE,
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This extraordinary drama, after a run of 89 nights, at the New Princess Theatre, Melbourne, will be produced at this Theatre, on the above date with a full
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TO-MORROW (Tuesday) EVENING, October 8,
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tendered by the citizens of Sydney
to the
ONLY LEON,
when a
SPECIAL PROGRAMME
will be presented.

This Celebrated Troupe sails October 10th, for New Zealand.

Admission—Dress circle, 3s; stalls, 2s; pit, 1s.
Doors open at 7.15, commence at 8. Carriages at 10.
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QUEEN'S THEATRE.
Lessee..........................Mr. M. Hegarty.

SATURDAY, October 12.

CHARLES B. HICKS'S
ORIGINAL GEORGIA MINSTRELS
[who have played two highly successful engagements in Sydney], assisted by the PROMINENT MEMBERS of the PRINCESS THEATRE, MELBOURNE, and augmented by the QUEEN'S FIRST-CLASS COMPANY,
will produce a new version of Mrs. Harriet Beecher-Stowe's
MORAL and RELIGIOUS DRAMA,
UNCLE TOM'S CABIN;
or, "LIFE AMONG THE LOWLY."

CAUTION TO THE SYDNEY PUBLIC.
Do not be deceived by any false announcements, but bear in mind that these popular artists are the ones who delighted Melbourne for nearly one hundred consecutive nights, crowding the Princess Theatre to suffocation during the entire period, and who gained a reputation as lasting as time; others may strive to imitate, but don't forget this is the ORIGINAL COMPANY, and now performing a final engagement at the Academy of Music, Melbourne, prior to their appearance at this popular place of amusement—the QUEEN'S, in Sydney.
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The above Bazaar will be held in the NEW WESLEYAN CHAPEL, Cleveland-street, opening TUESDAY, October 8, at 3 o'clock, and the two following days.
Music and singing each evening, under the direction of Mr. HUTHMANN.
Fancy, Book, and Refreshment Stalls.
Admission, 6d.

EXCURSION UP THE HAWKESBURY TO NEAR WINDSOR.
The steamer PELICAN will leave King-street Wharf on WEDNESDAY next, the 9th instant, at 7 a.m., weather permitting, carrying a limited number of excursionists to view the beautiful scenery of the Hawkesbury. As the moon will then be about full, the additional charm of moonlight scenery is anticipated.
Intending excursionists must take their tickets before MONDAY EVENING; price, 20s single; 32s return; children under 14, half-price.
N.B.—The steamer will call at Woolloomooloo Bay at 3.15 a.m., if desired.
WILLIAM MADDOCK,
City Stationery Warehouse, 383, George-street.

GUILD HALL.—TO-NIGHT, a Grand QUADRILLE PARTY, in honour of the Eight-hour Demonstration. Young Australian Band engaged. Tickets, 2s 6d each. Dancing at 8 sharp. Mr. G. KING, M.C. J. F. HOOK, Sec.

ST. FRANCIS CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE CONFRATERNITY.
TO-DAY, CHILDREN'S ANNUAL EXCURSION, to CHOWDER BAY. T. P. WILLIAMS, Hon. Sec.

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Lessee .... Mr. S. Lazar.
Stage Manager .... Mr. B. N. Jones.

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TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) EVENING, October 8,
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Miss AMY SHERWIN
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GUILD HALL,
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Under the distinguished PATRONAGE and in the PRESENCE of Hon. Lady ROBINSON and Suite
The Hon. Sir Edward Deas-Thomson, C.B., K.C.M.G., and Lady Deas Thomson; the Hon. Sir G. Wigram Allen and Lady Allen; the Hon. William Macleay, M.L.C., and Lady Macleay; the Hon. Henry Moore, M.L.C., and Mrs. Moore; Mrs. Kent, James Fairfax, Esq.; Wilfred Docker, Esq., and Mrs. Docker; Montague Levey, Esq., and Mrs. Levey.

PROGRAMME.
1. String Quartette—Herr J. KRETSCHMANN, Mr. DEANE, and Gentlemen Amateurs
2. MISERERE SCENE from "Il Trovatore," with stage costumes and effects
Leonora........... Miss AMY SHERWIN
Manrico........... Mr. JAMIESON
CHORUS.
3. Sonata in D minor .... Schumann
(for Violin and Pianoforte)
Herr JOSEPH KRETSCHMANN and Mr. SYDNEY MOSS, L.M.C.
4. A. "Listening" (ballad)
B. "Under the Snow" (ballad)
(written expressly for the beneficiaire by F. A. Packer, Hobart Town)
Miss AMY SHERWIN.

Intermission of ten minutes.

5. Piano Solo
Mr. SYDNEY MOSS, L.M.C.
6. The celebrated Mad Scene from "Lucia di Lammermoor," with stage costumes and effects, and flute obligato
Miss AMY SHERWIN.
Flute ....Signor Alfonso Pagnotta

The length of the operatic scenes will account for the small number of items on the programme.

Reserved seats, 5s; back seats and gallery, 3s.
Doors open at 7.30; to commence at 8 p.m.
Carriages at 10 o'clock.

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Tickets at all Music Warehouses.

RICH MUSICAL TREAT FOR THE CITIZENS OF PARRAMATTA.
MISS AMY SHERWIN'S GRAND CONCERT,
School of Arts, Parramatta,
WEDNESDAY, October 9, 1878,
assisted by Mr. Andrew Fairfax, Mr. Ackland, and Mr. Charles Huenerbein.
Further particulars in Parramatta papers of last Saturday.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

LICENSED VICTUALLERS' GRAND ANNUAL PICNIC.
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1878.
SIR JOSEPH BANKS HOTEL,
BOTANY.
The committee, in announcing their Grand Annual Picnic, beg to inform the public that they have made arrangements to make this picnic the grandest picnic that has ever taken place in Sydney. Having gone to an enormous expense in preparing the grounds, which are of so extensive a nature that the visitors may have every opportunity in indulging in the large and varied programme that, after the most careful consideration, has been prepared for their enjoyment and comfort, and hope to receive the same kind patronage that has at all times been awarded their appeal to the public.
The following old English games form a part of the programme:
LAWN TENNIS
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The beautiful Bowling Green has been placed in magnificent order. The splendid pavilion, second to none in the colony, has also been secured, and will be attended by a magnificent band of twelve performers, carefully selected by the committee.
The large Lawn will also be thrown open for cricket and other field sports that may be required, with all the necessary apparatus. In fact nothing will be wanting on the part of the committee to make this the grandest and most popular picnic that has yet taken place in this colony.
The committee having secured the best line of omnibuses available for the conveyance of visitors, will leave Wynyard-square at 9.30 a.m., and, as the distribution of tickets is limited, an early application becomes desirable, numbers having been already disposed of.
Tickets may be obtained of the Secretary and members of committee.
E. LOUGH, General Secretary.

MR. S. J. BUTLER'S Annual SCHOOL CONCERT, Botany, on TUESDAY, the 8th instant. A 'bus will leave for Sydney after the entertainment.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.
EXCURSION TO CLONTARF,
THIS DAY.
PRIZES BY HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR, JAMES MERRIMAN, Esq., M.P.—
RACE FOR ALL-COMERS (members of Eight-Hour Societies), 200 yards: First prize, £3; 2nd do., £1.
RACE FOR ALL MARRIED MEN over 40 years of age working at trades, represented on the Eight-Hour Demonstration, 150 yards: First prize, £2; 2nd do., £1.
RACE FOR YOUTHS under 18 years of age, serving an apprenticeship to any eight-hour trade, 150 yards: First prize, £1 10s; 2nd do., 15s.
BOYS under 13 years, sons of eight-hour workmen; 100 yards: First prize, 15s; 2nd do., 7s 6d; 3rd do., 2s 6d.
Ninth Race.—Special race for all bona-fide Eight-hour Men, 200 yards. First prize, a Silver Cup, presented by Mr. Charles Kelsey; second prize, 10s. Entrance fee, 2s 6d. To be run in divisions.
Tenth Race.—Special race for all bona-fide Eight-hour Men, 200 yards, over four hurdles 3 feet 6 inches high. £5 5s, presented by Mr. Thomas M'Master, to be divided as follows: First prize, £3; second prize, £1 10s; third prize, 15s. Entrance fee, 2s 6d.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.—The Operative Stonemasons are requested to meet at the Lodge-room, on MONDAY, at 8 a.m. sharp, to march from thence to the place of rendezvous.
J. J. HALL, Secretary.

THE MEMBERS of the OPERATIVE BRICKLAYERS SOCIETY are specially requested to attend at their Lodge Rooms, at 8 o'clock sharp, on MONDAY MORNING, 7th October, to take part in the procession of the Eight-hour Demonstration.
HENRY GRACE, Assistant Secretary.

EIGHT HOUR DEMONSTRATION.—Operative Blacksmiths.—Members requested to assemble Bell's Paddock, to join procession.
W. J. HARRIS, President; G. WOODS, Secretary.

EIGHT-HOUR DEMONSTRATION.—Sydney Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners.—The members of the above, and all in the trade, irrespective of the society, are respectfully requested to take part in the PROCESSION, THIS MORNING, at 8.30 a.m., from Bell's-paddock.
W. ELLIS, Secretary.

WATSON'S BAY.—MOONLIGHT CONCERT.—A Concert will be held in the Congregational Church, South Head, on TUESDAY, the 8th instant, at 8 o'clock. Steamer SWANSEA will leave Circular Quay 6.30 p.m., Woolloomooloo 6.45 p.m. Tickets, steamer and concert, 1s 6d. May be had on board.

THE Exhibition.—Open until 6 o'clock This Day, The Royal Furnishing Arcade, George-st. W. B. CAMPBELL.

CLONTARF.—NOTICE.—Hawkers and others are cautioned against VENDING WARES of any kind on the above grounds. Any person infringing on same will be prosecuted. W. and T. MOORE.

CLONTARF can be ENGAGED for School and other Picnics. Port Jackson Steamboat Company, Pitt-street.

TO-NIGHT.—Grand Moonlight EXCURSION to Athol; Albion Band engaged. Tickets, 1s 6d.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION to Athol TO-NIGHT. Steamer leaves Circular Quay at 7.30 and 8 p.m.

DINNER to Captain BIRNIE, Ship Cairnbulg.—Tickets can be obtained up to 4 p.m., from Dr. MEARNS, D.D.S., Wynyard-square.

FISHING EXCURSION, TUESDAY, October 8.—The PRINCE OF WALES will not start as advertised.

WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAND OF HOPE.—Monthly ENTERTAINMENT, THIS EVENING, at a quarter to 8, in St. Peter's Schoolroom, Forbes-street, Rev. F. ELDER in the chair. Admission, free. ALBERT ALLEN, Secretary.

MASONIC.—Cambrian Lodge of Australia, 656, E.C. To Members only.
At the request of members, the time for application for tickets for Picnic has been extended till TUESDAY, 8th instant. Tickets to be obtained at Br. DOLE'S, George-street; Br. MULHOLLAND'S, 752, George-street; or Secretary, HENRY LONG.

EXCURSION TO PEARL BAY.—The Pitt-street Presbyterian Sabbath School will hold their ANNUAL PICNIC at the above place, on TUESDAY next, October 8.
Steamer Manly will leave the Circular Quay at 9 and 11.15 a.m. sharp.
Tickets, 2s each.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

GUILD HALL,
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SATURDAY next, 12th instant,
GRAND BENEFIT OF
Signor PALADINI.
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GRAND BENEFIT OF
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when selections will be given from the best parts of the opera.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

BRUNSWICK C. C. PICNIC to ATHOL, on MONDAY, October 7 (THIS DAY). Young Australian Band engaged. Steamers leave Circular Quay at 9 a.m., and every half-hour till 3 p.m.; Pyrmont, Darling-street, Balmain, at 9.45. Tickets, 1s 6d. W. CHOWNE and D. M'RITCHIE, Joint Secretaries of B. C. C.

SYDNEY VOCAL HARMONIC SOCIETY.—PRACTICE, THIS EVENING. Full attendance particularly requested. Members, please bring copies of the "Creation."
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MR. C. BAILEY'S Quadrille Assembly, THIS (Monday) EVENING. National Hall, Castlereagh-street.

ROVERS CRICKET CLUB.—Fifth Grand Annual EXCURSION to Athol Gardens, SATURDAY, October 12. Tickets may be obtained from the Committee.
W. CONNELL, Hon. Secretary.

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Lead, Paints, Oils, Colours, Varnishes, Sheet Glass, Turps, &c., 10 per cent. under any other house in town.
Note the address—H. H. GROTH, 344, George-street.

Drapery, Haberdashery, &c.

FIRST GREAT DISPLAY
of
NEW SPRING DRAPERY
at
RILEY BROTHERS,
Ex GARONNE, WHAMPOA, and DURHAM.

The Great SHOW of NEW SPRING DRAPERY at RILEY BROTHERS' this week. The Fashionable Embossed Parachute, Very Cheap, at RILEY BROTHERS'. The New Lace Fichus at RILEY BROTHERS', Really Cheap.

RILEY BROTHERS have just opened about 150 cases of New and Fashionable Spring Goods, specially selected by our Mr. A. J. Riley in London, Glasgow, Manchester, and Paris, and sent on to us by the fast steamers Garonne, Whampoa, and Durham.
We wish specially to draw the attention of our customers to the list of prices below. We can assure them these are the CHEAPEST LOT of GOODS we have ever offered, and although the prices SEEM VERY LOW, yet we can safely say they are ALL GOOD QUALITY and FIRST-CLASS GOODS, being the first parcel selected by our Mr. Riley on his arrival in England.

Boys' Knicker Suits, 3s 11d, at RILEY, BROTHERS', This Week.
Men's Silk Dust Coats, 5s 11d, at RILEY, BROTHERS', This Week.
2000 Pieces of Muslin Work, 1½d. This Week, at RILEY, BROTHERS'.

PLEASE READ THIS LIST.
MANCHESTER GOODS.
All Linen Table Damask, 11½d
White Sheeting, 2 yards wide, 9½d
Stout Grey Sheeting, 6½d
New Spring Prints, 3½d
Linen Ginghams, 2½d
Stout Grey Calico, 1½d
Extra Fine Grey Calico, 2½d
Fine White Calico, 2½d
Wamsutta (American) Calico, 8½d
Honeycomb Toilet Covers, 1s
White Damask Dimity, 4½d
Slate Silesia, 3½d
Slate Black and White Victoria Lawn, 3½d
Honeycomb Towels, 2½d
White Turkish Towels, 7½d
Extra-large Turkish Bath Towels, 11½d
Stout Brown Holland, 4½d
Long Lace Curtains, 3s 11d, 4s 11d, 5s 11d per pair
Large Marcella Quilts, 3s 11d
Lace Stripe Dress Muslins, 4½d
DRESS AND FANCY DEPARTMENT.
New Snowflake Material, 4½d
Coloured Athol Lustre, 9½d
Black Alpaca 8½d
Black Crape Cloth, 11½d
Summer Washing Checks, 3½d
Muslin Edgings, 200 patterns, 1½d
Muslin Insertions, 1½d
Ladies' Lace Fichus, 4s 11d
Ladies' Parachutes, 1s 6d
Ladies' New Embossed Parachutes, 5 11d
Ladies' Drawers, 1s 6d
Ladies' Petticoats, 1s 11d.

THE NEW PRINTS, 18 Cases of them, at RILEY, BROTHERS', 3½d.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.
WE WISH SPECIALLY to remind you that we have considerably enlarged our MEN'S and BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT, and in this shipment there are 48 cases alone for this Department.
BOYS' KNICKERBOCKER and YOUTHS' LONG SUITS
MEN'S TROUSERS and TROUSERS and VEST
MEN'S and BOYS' SHIRTS are PARTICULARLY CHEAP when you see the goods.

The Men's Black Alpacca Coats, a bargain, at 5s 11d. RILEY, BROTHERS.
Ladies' and Children's Straw Hats, from 6d upwards, at RILEY, BROTHERS.

Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, 2s 11d
Boys' Sailor Suits, 3s 11d
Boys' Tweed Suits, 4s 11d
Boys' and Youths' Fancy Tweed Suits, 6s 11d
Youths' Long Tweed Suits, 6s 11d
Youths' Jacket Suits, 11s 6d
Youths' Best Tweed Suits, 14s 6d
Men's Tweed Trousers, 6s 11d
Men's Trousers and Vests, 17s 6d
Men's China Silk Coats, 5s 11d
Men's Black Alpaca Coats, 5s 11d
Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, 8½d
Men's White Shirts, 2s 11d.

AND MANY OTHER ARTICLES, BUT PLEASE COME AND SEE THE VALUE YOURSELVES.

REMEMBER SATURDAY, AND ALL NEXT WEEK.

RILEY, BROTHERS,
686, George-street;
167 and 168, Oxford-street.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND, AND VARLEY,
100, KING-STREET
664, GEORGE-STREET.

TO-DAY, OUR NEW SHOWROOM IS OPEN.
TO-DAY, NEW MODEL COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, NEW SILK COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, FRENCH BEIZE COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, ZEPHYRINE COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, MUSLIN COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, SPECIAL SHOW OF COSTUMES.
TO-DAY, OUR NEW SHOWROOM IS OPEN.
TO-DAY, FRENCH MODEL SILK JACKETS.
TO-DAY, NEW LACE MANTLETTS.
TO-DAY, CASHMERE AND LACE FICHUS.
TO-DAY, SPECIALITIES IN MILLINERY.
TO-DAY, NEW CHIP HATS AND BONNETS.
TO-DAY, DISPLAY OF FEATHERS AND FLOWERS
TO-DAY, OUR NEW SHOWROOM IS OPEN.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND and VARLEY.

SPECIAL SHOW THIS DAY.
NEW GOODS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

TO-DAY, NEW SILKS AT 3s 11d.
TO-DAY, CHOICE GROS GRAINS AT 4s 11d.
TO-DAY, BONNE-ET-BELLE SILKS.
TO-DAY, GREAT DISPLAY OF DRESS GOODS.
TO-DAY, SEE OUR WINDOWS.
TO-DAY, OUR NEW SHOWROOM IS OPEN.
TO-DAY, NEW GALATEA STRIPES.
TO-DAY, CHOICE NEW CAMBRICS.
TO-DAY, ZEPHYR CAMBRICS.
TO-DAY, SNOWFLAKE CAMBRICS.
TO-DAY, GRAND DISPLAY OF NOVELTIES.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND, and VARLEY,
100, KING-STREET,
664, GEORGE-STREET.

TO-DAY, GLOVES, IN ALL THE NEW COLOURS.
TO-DAY, NEW FANCY RIBBONS.
TO-DAY, REAL LACE GOODS.
TO-DAY, NEW COLLARS AND CUFFS.
TO-DAY, NOVELTIES, IN ALL DEPARTMENTS.
TO-DAY, OUR NEW SHOWROOM IS OPEN.

TO-DAY,
You are invited to inspect the LARGE and MAGNIFICENT STOCK of
SPRING and SUMMER GOODS,
showing at
100, KING-STREET,
and
664, GEORGE-STREET.

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THE ORIGINAL FIRM OF HORDERN'S
in the Australian Colonies
is
represented by
EDWARD HORDERN,
676, Brickfield-hill, George-street, South,
the only son now in business in Sydney of the late Mr. ANTHONY HORDERN, of KING-STREET,
the founder of the well-known name of "HORDERN."

The system of business carried on at EDWARD HORDERN'S
is the same as initiated by his father over 50 years since, and which the public have so liberally appreciated and responded to.

EDWARD HORDERN
takes this opportunity to thank his numerous customers for their continued favours, and by constant personal attention to all comers hopes to merit a continuance of the same.

New Goods by every First-class Sailing Vessel and Mail Steamer.

EDWARD HORDERN,
Importer and Family Draper,
676, Brickfield Hill.

Established 1823.

No Branch Houses.

E. WAY, General Draper, 261 to 267, Pitt-street.
LARGE IMPORTATIONS NOW OPENING.
Ladies inspect our Stock | Millinery Dresses Mantles Drapery | Ladies compare our prices.
The cheapest house in the city.
E. WAY, General Draper, 261 to 267, Pitt-street.

JUST THE THING I WANT.—A GOOD SOUND LEATHER PORTMANTEAU.—A Large size, 12s 6d, 15s 6d, 18s 6d, and 21s, with solid leather straps and finish; Ladies' Leather Trunks, in solid leather. Messrs. HOBSON and WHITING, having established large workshops for the special manufacture of every description of bag or solid leather trunks, are prepared to take orders for solid leather trunks up to 40 inches, [illegible] 2s per inch, and Bags 1s per inch.
HOBSON and WHITING have the largest stock of Leather Portmanteaus in the Colonies, and their prices will be found 50 per cent. cheaper than any other house.
Portmanteaus repaired and renovated in two hours after receiving the goods.
HOBSON and WHITING, Manufacturers.
18, Hunter-street.

LADIES' STAYS, every new shape just opened, 2s 6d to 12s 6d. E. WAY, Draper, Pitt-street.

LADIES' WHITE PETTICOATS, a little soiled, half-price, 2s 6d to 15s 6d. E. WAY, Draper, Pitt-street.

HORDERN'S NEW SHOP,
PITT-STREET,
Where the Best Value can be obtained in
MILLINERY
of the choicest description executed in the prettiest styles of the latest fashion.

MOURNING ORDERS RECEIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION.

FLOWERS, FEATHERS, TIPS, HAT ORNAMENTS, &c., &c.

ALL THE NEWEST SHAPES IN LADIES' HATS.

SILKS.—The daily large increase in the sales of this department, is the best proof of the value of the goods. COME AND SEE THEM, and you will find all the best makes in
BLACK AND COLOURED SILKS.
See Windows.

LACE GOODS.—The largest stock in Sydney. Fichus, Tippets, Shawlettes, Mantles, Sleeveless Jackets, Silk Cord Capes, and every novelty.

PARACHUTES.—Special display for MONDAY—LADIES' and CHILDREN'S PARACHUTES. The immense number and variety on hand renders it impossible to exhibit them satisfactorily in the windows. On Monday the Showroom will contain a grand display, when ladies are requested to inspect and make their purchases.

J. L. HORDERN,
259, Pitt-street.

J. ALFORD, 415, George-street, opposite Royal Hotel.
NEW GOODS, JUST OPENED.
ENGLISH MILLINERY BONNETS and TRIMMED HATS,
FRENCH and ENGLISH FLOWERS and FEATHERS,
NEW RUCHINGS, HOSIERY, SCARFS and GLOVES.
A splendid 2-button KID GLOVE, 2s 6d
Newest shapes in STAYS, COSTUMES, and FICHUS.

LADIES, the nicest BOOTS in Russian leather, kid, French calf, and patent, for your children, are to be had only at FRENCH'S, 689, George-street, Haymarket. They fit capitally, wear well, and go on easily. No machine sewing with tacks inside about them; no wax to dirty the socks.
E. FRENCH'S boots are cut from new patterns, and are recommended to every family as the VERY BEST BOOTS IN THIS CITY, and perfectly smooth inside.

General Merchandise.

UNBREAKABLE GLASS.
Just received, a further supply above TUMBLERS, suitable for hotel and private use.
MYERS and CANTOR, Sole Agents for New South Wales, Vickery's-buildings, 114, Pitt-street.

CUTTING AND CO.'S PRESERVED FRUITS
TABLE AND PIE, regular direct shipments.
Asparagus, Honey, Assorted Canned Fruits, Peas, Tomatoes
Anglo-Swiss, "Milkmaid" and Borden's Milk
Coffee and Milk, Cocoa and Milk, Chocolate and Milk
Dried Apples and Peaches, Jams, Oilmen's Stores
Hapgood's Salmon, Lobsters, Oysters, Herrings, Shrimps, &c.
Kingsford's Oswego Prepared Corn, Silver Gloss Starch
Carbonate of Soda, Tartaric Acid, Cream of Tartar
Epsom Salts, Senna Leaves, Sausage Skins, Jar Salt
Bristol's Sarsaparilla, Pills; Murray and Lanman's Florida Water
Barry's Tricopherous, Pearl Cream, Hair Dye
Angostura, Leslie's, Drake's, and genuine Stoughton Bitters
Devoe's Kerosene, Patent Faucet Taps, Devoe's Turpentine
Sugar-cured Hams, Cheese, Devilled Ham, Potted Meats
Seaming Twine, Curled Hair, Clothes Lines, Clothes Pegs
Iron Bedsteads, Paperhangings, American Doors
Wood and cane-seat Chairs and Rockers
30-hour and 8-day Clocks, Brooms, Woodware
Clothes Wringers, Mangles, Zinc and Wood Washboards
Axe, Pick, Sledge, Chisel, Hatchet, and Broom Handles
Corn-crackers, Hay-cutters, Store and Wool Trucks
6 to 14-feet extending Dining Tables, Sideboards
Lawn Mowers, Scythe Snaths and Scythes
Platform Scales (Fairbank's and Howe's), 400 to 1000 lbs.
Counter and Grocers' Scales, Lift and Force Pumps
Finishing, Cut, and Hungarian Nails; Tinned and Iron Tacks
Travelling Trunks and Boxes, Portmanteaus, and Bags
American Hardware, including Axes, Picks, Hatchets, Adzes, Hammers, Shovels, Spades, Forks, Rakes, Hoes, Bits, Chisels, Braces, Nail-pullers, Rules, Gauges, Plumbs, and Levels
Meat Cutters for private and butchers' use, novelties, &c.
Cross-cut and Hand Saws, Files, Wrenches, Trowels
Ash Oars and Steering Oars, 8 to 24 feet.
M. MOSS and CO.,
Wynyard-lane.

THE N. S. W. SHALE AND OIL COMPANY'S COMET OIL.
THE SUPERIOR QUALITY as an Illuminator is known all over the colony.
ITS CHEAPNESS to the consumer is two-fold (1) the Company's price is below that of the imported oil, and (2) the oil lasts longer in burning.
Its SAFETY is certified to by the Government Inspector of Kerosene as having passed the test required by the Act of Parliament.
Delivered in lots of 25 cases, delivered anywhere in town.
To be had of all grocers, ironmongers, and oil dealers.
COMPANY'S OFFICE,
5, Hunter-street, Sydney.

THE undersigned have on SALE.—Adelaide and Victorian superfine Flour; Adelaide, Victorian, and New Zealand Wheat; Victorian Bran; Tasmanian, Ballarat, and Orange Potatoes; Maize, Butter, Onions, Cornsacks.
NIPPER and SEE, 123, Sussex-street.

TO MILLERS.—Estimates given for 50-lb. or 100-lb. FLOUR BAGS, made and printed from your own material at lowest rates and best make. S. HEBBLEWHITE, 482, George-street, Sydney.

BUTTER in Five Minutes.—Atmospheric CHURNS, 10s each. S. HEBBLEWHITE, 482, George-street.

Businesses for Sale.

HOTEL.—One of the best paying in George-street, doing a tremendous business. Disposed of only in consequence of proprietor having other profitable business engagements. GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

TO SODAWATER AND CORDIAL MANUFACTURERS.—For SALE, an old-established BUSINESS, in a flourishing country district. Plant very complete, and in first-rate condition. Particulars to be had of ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, 110 and 112, Pitt-street.

A GOOD BUSINESS for SALE, in the principal business part of the city. Stock light, profits good, and expenses very moderate. To an active man of business, with small capital, it is a good opportunity.
S. THOMPSON and CO., 362, George-street.

A BUSINESS in good working order, for SALE, in best part of George-street; rent only 30s per week; principals only treated with, about £450 required. Confidential, HERALD Office.

BOTANIC CLUB HOUSE,
corner of North and East Terraces,
ADELAIDE, S.A.
The LEASE of this magnificent and splendidly situated property is for SALE, as the present proprietor and lessee (Mr. F. G. Hince) finds the duties of an increasing connection too arduous. The house, which has 25 rooms, bathrooms, and every convenience, is held under lease for 21 years from 1877 at a rental of £7 per week for 10 years, and £10 per week for the remaining 11 years.
The situation of this house is perhaps the best in the city, being exactly opposite the Botanic Garden gates, there being an uninterrupted view of the gardens from the balconies and French windows, and a most charming view of the hills and park lands to the eastward. There has been a steady and increasing business ever since it has been opened as a boarding and lodging house, and in the hands of energetic people a fortune would result. The furniture to be taken at a valuation.
For any further particulars apply to JAMES H. PARR, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, Currie-street, Adelaide.

BREWERY for SALE, with all the appliances, doing good trade, with house, 1½ acre of land, and never-failing supply of water. Good opening for cordial manufactory; country district. To good business man sure fortune. Chance seldom met with.
Particulars, 8, Francis-street, Globe.

HOTEL, genuine house, to be sold, bargain, under peculiar circumstances; suit business woman. Taylor and Co.

HOTELS.—Several really good houses for SALE. TAYLOR and CO., Auctioneers, &c., 355, George-street.

CHEMIST'S BUSINESS, old established (splendid premises), a bargain. Taylor and Co., brokers, 355, Geo.-st.

FOR PRIVATE SALE.
AN OLD ESTABLISHED
PLUMBER'S, GASFITTER'S, and BRASSFOUNDING BUSINESS.
ALL IN FULL WORKING ORDER.
STOCK AND TRADE.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell the above by private contract, and will furnish full particulars, to any one anxious to purchase, at his Sale Rooms, 261, George-street.
Terms EASY, and very MODERATE.

E. P. DAWBARN and CO., Property Auctioneers and Business Agents, Temple Court, will sell as under:—
Boarding-house, Haymarket, 10 rooms on one floor, furniture at low valuation, for SALE, which renders this a very eligible investment
Boarding-houses, in all parts, prices, and terms
Tobacconist's Business, also good fancy trade for Sale
Several good partnerships now offering to business men.

IN THE CENTRE of the CITY.—For SALE, a BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, containing 8 rooms, kitchen, servant's room; also gas and water laid on, and doing a good business. A rare opportunity. E. RAMSAY, Agent, 412, George-st.

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GENERAL STORE for SALE, on the Murrumbidgee, doing £6500 per annum, and capable of considerable extension; capital required, £2500. Terms easy. ALDERSON and SONS, Elizabeth-street.

HOTELS, all prices, £130 to £3000, to suit all classes; give us a call. BUER and CO., 67, Pitt-street.

TWO Hundred and Seventy Pounds—Splendid suburban Hotel, large and lucrative trade. Buer and Co., 67, Pitt-st.

FOUR Hundred and Sixty Pounds—Real gem, long lease, low rent, snug trade; don't miss this. Buer and Co., 67, Pitt-st.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.
For SALE, the STOCK, Furniture, and License of the Belmore HOTEL, situated at the corner of High-street and the road leading to the Paterson, Dungog, Clarence Town, and the largely-populated district of Bolwarra. The Hotel has been thoroughly renovated and is now doing a splendid business. One of the best chances ever offered to a good business man. Possession can be given immediately. Apply JOHN DALY, Proprietor; or to Millstream Brewery, West Maitland.

SNUG corner HOTEL, £135, busy neighbourhood.
HOTELS.—J. HYETT has for SALE several good paying HOTELS in city and suburbs (buyers assisted if required). J. HYETT, 494, George-street, opposite Markets.

HOTELS, city, suburbs, and country. Buyers assisted at bank rates. W. H. SIMPKINS, 160, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, Coffee and Luncheon BUSINESS, best position in Sydney, good trade; rent, 28s. 5, Change Alley, Circular Quay, proprietor leaving, her Husband, suitable for two persons.

Borough Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF EAST ST. LEONARDS.
FINAL NOTICE.
Proceedings will be commenced for the Recovery of all RATES not paid on or before the 10th instant.
By order,
GEO. L. COLEMAN, Council-clerk.
Council-chambers, 2nd October, 1878.

BOROUGH OF ALEXANDRIA.—NOTICE is hereby given that Henderson Road will be closed against traffic on and after TUESDAY, the 8th instant, during erection of culvert. C. B. HENDERSON, Mayor.
Council-chambers, Raglan-street, Alexandria, October 3, 1878.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK,
125, ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH,
next St. James's School.
First established in Sydney.
MONEY advanced in sums from £5 to £1000 on two responsible securities. Arrangements can be made for WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY payments.
BILLS OF SALE on Furniture, without possession.
Advances made upon mortgage, deposit of deeds, merchandise, bonded certificates, trade bills, &c.
Forms may be had gratis.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY.—
COLONIAL MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT BANKING COMPANY'S OFFICES,
220, Market and Castlereagh streets
The operations of this Company embrace the following branches:—
1. Promissory notes, acceptances, bills of exchange discounted daily.
2. Foreign bills of exchange and bank notes purchased.
3. Mortgages effected on city, suburban, and country properties.
4. Money advanced on deposit of deeds, with or without transfer, and on leaseholds, shares and scrip of public companies; bills of sale, bonded certificates, merchandise; also on good personal security, payable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.
5. Reversionary interests, annuities, and life interests in estates purchased, or advances made thereon as required.
6. Foreign coin and bullion bought or exchanged.
All communications, private, confidential, or otherwise, addressed to the undersigned, will have strict and prompt attention.
D. BARNETT, General Manager.

UNION LOAN AND DISCOUNT COMPANY.
OFFICES: 794, GEORGE-STREET (first floor),
eight doors from Christ Church.
Hours—9 to 5, and 7 to 9 every evening.
MONEY ADVANCED upon PERSONAL and other security.
Repayable by instalments as follows:—

£10 by weekly instalments of	...	...	£0 6 0
15	"	"	...	0 7 6
20	"	"	...	0 10 6
25	"	"	...	0 12 7
30	"	"	...	1 0 0
50	"	"	...	1 5 0

And in due proportion up to £100.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
To Borrowers not able to transact business during the day, has offices will be open from 7 to 9 p.m.
794, GEORGE-STREET, first floor,
(8 doors from Christ Church).

MONEY for Investment on good mortgage securities. Mr. SALTER, Solicitor, Pitt-street.

TWO Thousand Two Hundred Pounds to Lend on Mortgage real estate, at 8 per cent. E. L. d. FATTORINI, Pitt-st.

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ON EASY TERMS.
MUTUAL LOAN and DISCOUNT OFFICE,
42, HUNTER-STREET,
OPPOSITE THE UNION BANK.
Money in sums of £5 to £5000, to male or female, in town or country, on note of hand, stock-in-trade, crops, farm stock, or to assist persons to take a business. Loans to any amount on furniture, without removal, law costs, or publicity; also on the deposit of deeds, bonds, shares, reversions, &c. Mortgages to any amount on freehold and leasehold property. Bills discounted. Interest from 5 per cent.
N.B.—This being a genuine office for all mercantile monetary transactions, borrowers will do well to apply and consult the Manager, 42, Hunter-street.

THE UNITED BANKING COMPANY
corner of
KING and YORK STREETS.
MONEY advanced on moderate rate of interest, in sums of £1 and upwards, repayable by easy instalments on
PERSONAL SECURITY
BILL OF SALE on FURNITURE, WITHOUT POSSESSION
DEEDS OF FREEHOLD OR LEASEHOLD PROPERTY
BONDED CERTIFICATES, MERCHANDISE
STOCKS, SHARES, REVERSIONARY INTEREST, &c., &c.
BILLS DISCOUNTED DAILY.
NO INQUIRY OR VALUATION FEES.

ADVANCES made on all classes of securities, in small or large sums, repayable at any time, or by instalments. Mortgages effected at current interest.
ALEX. COOPER, Auctioneer, 106, Elizabeth-street.

TO TRADESMEN, MECHANICS, EMPLOYEES, AND OTHERS.
£10 to £50 (or any larger sum) advanced by the undersigned, to those requiring the same, upon any REASONABLE security, at the shortest notice, and repayments taken in any way to suit the borrower.
N.B.—SPECIAL ADVANTAGE to those borrowing from the undersigned that 'BUS HIRE can be SAVED in the repayment of instalments, which can be explained upon application.
Apply, with real name and address, to Assistance, Box No. 181, General Post Office.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING and INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT:
George Renwick, Esq., President.
Wm. Day, Esq. John Woods, Esq.
John Roseby, Esq. James Pemell, Esq.
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NOTICE.—Deposits received to any extent. Special rates on application.
By order of the Board,
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.
Offices, York-street, near Druitt-street, formerly the Synagogue.

THE OPERATIVES' BUILDING SOCIETY, 30, Park-street, receives money on FIXED DEPOSIT, at HIGHEST rates of interest. ISSUES PAID-UP SHARES of the value of £30, bearing interest and share in profits. INVESTING Shares payable by instalments of sixpence per week. Prospectuses, and all particulars as to Loans, may be had at the office.
ALEXANDER OGILVIE, Manager.
NOTE.—The only Building Society in Park-street.

SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS to LEND on mortgage, in sums from £150 upwards. FORBES and CO., 410, George-street.

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FOR SALE, the imported Arab Stallion "SHANGHAI," winner of many races in India. Prize taker in Sydney and Singleton. In fine condition for the coming season, very quiet, a good hack, and could be turned out with mares. Can be inspected at Baroona. For price and particulars apply to the undersigned.
A. A. DANGAR.
Baroona, Singleton.

AMERICAN HARNESS, best quality, single and pair horse buggy, carriage, and express harness. JOHN BRUSH, Importer and Manufacturer, 607, George-street, opposite Royal Hotel.

GIBSON'S HORSE BAZAAR, 282, Pitt-street, opposite School of Arts.—Horses and Buggies for Sale or Hire.

THE LARGEST and BEST-SELECTED STOCK of American BUGGIES and CARRIAGES in the Australian colonies, from builders of the highest reputation in the United States, built expressly to suit requirements of the colonies, under special instructions.
BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers of every description of American Merchandise.—Stores and Offices, York-street, Wynyard-square.
Every vehicle bears our plate as importers, to serve as guarantee.

BUGGIES, BUGGIES, WAGGONS, CARTS, &c.
The largest, cheapest, and best assortment in the colony.
Buggies, £30; Waggons, £36; Spring-carts, £13, at
JOHN ROBERTSON'S
STEAM COACH and BUGGY MANUFACTORY,
Pitt-street, near Haymarket.
N.B.—Country visitors are invited to inspect the works.

FOR SALE, first-class BUGGY, showy Horse, new Harness; any trial. E. RAMSAY, 412, George-street.

AMERICAN BUGGIES, American BUGGIES.
American Buggies £28, American Buggies £36.
£42 with Leather Tops, £42.
We are now selling our Large Stock of
American Buggies at greatly reduced prices, to make room for fresh shipments of the best, cheapest, and largest assortment ever introduced into the market.
To arrive, per Jonathan Chase, T. A. Goddard, Stillman B. Allen, and Memnon,
Top and no-top Trays, Kensington Trotters, Piano Box, Whitechapels and Jump-seat Buggies, Ladies' Basket and Canopy-top, Physicians, Prince Alfred, Berlin and Rumble Phaetons. Ladies' Phaetons, Ladies' Phaetons.
Just unpacked, ex C. C. Chapman and T. J. Southard, a lot of those beautiful Canopy-tops and C. Spring Basket Phaetons, by the best New York builders, and to the order of
KEAREY, BROTHERS, Importers, 290, Pitt-street.

BAY handsome Buggy and Saddle COB, £16; Chestnut Buggy and Saddle PONY, £10. WOOLLER'S.

GRAY good draught MARE, any trial, £18; boy's PONY, £5; Double-seated BUGGY, £28. WOOLLER'S.

WANTED, Tip DRAY, with nuggetty HORSE (mare preferred). T. P., No. 407, Macquarie-street South.

AMERICAN HARNESS of every description, from celebrated makers, direct.
BARRON, MOXHAM, and CO., Importers,
York-street and Wynyard-square.

HANDSOME Black COB, first-class hack, £25; Bay harness Horse, good match horse, £25. KNIGHT.

NEW Buggy SOCIABLE, £45; double-seat Buggy, £30; single Buggy, £16; light Tray Buggy, £22. KNIGHT.

HAWKER'S and Surveyor's WAGGON, carry 30 cwt., £40; covered Waggonette, £40. Knight, 257, Castlereagh-st.

NEW SPRING-CART, £14; SPRING-VAN, £12; new Saddles, 50s; buggy Harness, £3. KNIGHT.

FOR SALE, a stanch HORSE, 16½ hands, any trial given; also a Pagnel SOCIABLE, two Sets Silver-mounted HARNESS, in good order; also a first-class breaking SADDLE. J. M'LAUGHLIN, 583, George-street.

CARRIAGES, Buggies, &c.—W. Vial and Son, practical coachbuilders, Castlereagh-street, Sydney. Established 1852.

SECOND-HAND SPRING-CART for SALE, cheap. G. KILMINSTER, corner of Ocean and Piper streets.

FOR SALE, really good set of Buggy HARNESS, cheap. Apply 165, Devonshire-street.

FAMILY SOCIABLES, single and double seated Buggies. O'BRIEN'S, Pitt-street. Established 1850.

HORSE, Van, and Harness, two Cab Horses, for SALE. G. GOUCH, Paddington.

SECOND-Hand Set of Safety Harness; also second-hand set of Dogcart Harness, cheap. 25, High-street.

HARNESS HORSE wanted, young, quiet, and sound. M. M. Cohen, Burwood.

A QUIET young Saddle HORSE, for SALE, suitable for buggy, with saddle and bridle, £10. 92, Clarence-street.

FIRST-CLASS set brown silver-mounted buggy Harness, Gents' Saddle, Bridle, Girths, 50s. 5, Oxford-street.

THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

Government Notices.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.—APPLICATION having been made to bring the land hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificate of Indefeasible Title will issue unless Caveats be lodged in Form B of the said Act on or before the date hereunder notified.

Property.	Names of Applicants.	Residences.	Dates up to and inclusive of which Caveats may be lodged.
No. 4273. Town of Orange, 311 acres: Bounded on the east by Woodward-street, 3498 links, and by land of J. S. Foster, 491 links; on the north by the southern boundary of land of R. Frost and a continued west line, in all a line 80 chains; on the west by a line south 3914 links; and south by J. M'Namara's land, 7850 links—being part of 640 acres granted to W. E. Sampson, excepting thereout the roads from Forbes to Orange, from Molong to Orange, and from Ironbarks to Orange.	James Dalton	Orange	1878. November 15.
No. 4394. Parish of St. Peter, Bradbury Park, 2 roods, having a frontage of 2 chains to Allman-street by a depth of 2½ chains—being lot 19 of the Bradbury Park Estate, Campbelltown.	John Kidd	Campbelltown	November 15.
No. 4328. St. Mary's, 3 acres 1 rood 18 perches, having a frontage of 584 links to Albert-street, 375 links to the Western Road; and 584 links to Princes-street.	James Hackett	St. Mary's	December 13.
No. 4695. Town of Wentworth, 2 roods, allotment 11 of section 6, granted to John Davie	Emma Sophia Davie, David Murray and David Fowler	Wentworth; Adelaide	December 13.
No. 4696. Town of Wentworth, 2 roods, allotment 12 of section 6, granted to John Davie	Emma Sophia Davie, David Murray, David Fowler	Wentworth, Adelaide, Adelaide	December 13.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Registrar-General's Office, in Elizabeth-street, Sydney.
Dated this 3rd day of October, 1878, at the Registrar-General's Office, Sydney.

E. G. WARD, Registrar-General.

General Post Office,
Sydney, 19th September, 1878.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.

Supplement to General Advertisement dated the 26th August, 1878, calling for Tenders for Mail Services, to commence on the 1st January, 1879.

TENDERS for the following Mail Services will be received up to noon on TUESDAY, the 22nd October next, viz.:—

WESTERN ROADS.

54. Gulgong, Denison Town, and Coolah, once or twice a week
55. Dubbo and Tenandra, via Fish's, once a week.
56. Peel, Clear Creek, and Limekilns, twice a week.
57. Peel and Millamurro, twice a week.

SOUTHERN ROADS.

76. Goulburn and Middle Arm, once or twice a week.
77. Marulan and Bungonia, six or seven times a week.
78. Mogo and Broulee (Tomago), once a week.

NORTHERN ROADS.

73. Bonshaw and Texas, once a week.
74. West Maitland, Bishop's Bridge, Cessnock, Millfield, and Wollombi, with a branch mail to and from Millfield and Ellalong, three times a week. (Mails to be conveyed at least once a week by coach.)
75. Moree, Bumble, and Meroe via Combadello, twice a week.
76. Paterson, Vacy, and Gresford, three or six times a week.

The above services, Nos. 54, 56, and 57 Western Road, 76 and 77 Southern Road, and 74, 75, and 76 Northern Road, are called for in lieu of the services Nos. 16, 17, 25, and 26 Western Road, 39 and 11 Southern Road, and 22, 45, and 19 Northern Road respectively, advertised in the general advertisement of the 26th August, 1878, which have been withdrawn.

The proper form of Tender, which can be obtained at any Post-office in the colony, must be used.

A certificate from a Magistrate must be written on the back of each Tender, that Tenderer and his sureties are respectable and responsible parties. Without such certificate Tenders will not be considered.

The Tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tender for the Conveyance of Mails."

The Postmaster-General does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

The conditions will be the same as those published in the GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, in the general advertisement dated 26th August, 1878; and Tenders will not be considered unless in accordance therewith.

J. F. BURNS.

General Post Office, Sydney.
26th August, 1878.

CONVEYANCE OF MAILS.—TENDERS for the following Mail Services, either by coach or on horseback, for one or three years (with the exception of those lines for which a special term is named), to commence from the 1st January, 1879, will be received up to noon on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of October next.

The tenders must be addressed to the Secretary to the Post Office, Sydney, and endorsed "Tenders for the Conveyance of Mails."

The Postmaster-General does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each successful tenderer for the Mail Services numbered:—
Western Road—13, 24, and 51.
Southern Road—47, 55, 62, 64, 66, 67, 68, and 70.
Northern Road—6, 34, 46, 51, and 70—must, WITHIN THREE DAYS, either personally, or by the hands of his agent in Sydney, deposit with the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney, to the credit of the Secretary, General Post Office, Sydney (and must lodge the Bank deposit receipt therefor with the Secretary to the Post Office) a sum equal to 20 per centum of the annual amount for which the Tenderer offers to undertake the service. This amount to be absolutely forfeited to the Government in case the person whose Tender may be accepted shall fail to complete, within thirty days of the date of notice of the acceptance of his Tender, the usual bond and contract to the satisfaction of the Government. The notice of acceptance of Tender, if delivered at the Sydney address of the Tenderer or his agent (which address should be stated in the Tender), shall be deemed sufficient.

The money deposited in the Bank by the successful Tenderer in each case to be returned after he shall have performed the service for, say, one calendar month, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

For full particulars see GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, a file of which is kept at every post-office in the colony. No tender will be considered unless the terms of the notice published in the GAZETTE be strictly complied with.

WESTERN ROADS.

1. Railway Station and Post Office, Parramatta, four times or oftener daily.
2. Parramatta Railway Station and Post Offices, Parramatta, Baulkham Hills, and Rouse Hill, six times a week.
3. Blacktown, Prospect, and Eastern Creek, six times a week.
4. Pitt Town, Wiseman's Ferry, Central M'Donald, and St. Alban's, twice a week.
5. Wiseman's Ferry and Mangrove Creek, once a week.
6. Colo, Putty, and Howe's Valley, once a week.
7. Railway Station and Post Office, Mount Victoria, twice or oftener daily; and Railway Station, Mount Victoria, and Post Offices, Mount Victoria, Little Hartley, and Hartley, seven times a week.
8. Hartley and Hartley Vale, five times a week.
9. Hartley and Lowther, once a week.
10. Capertee Camp, Glen Alice, and Rylstone, via Gallagher's, Coco, the Crown, and Bogie, twice a week.
11. Rylstone, Dungaree, and Mudgee, twice a week.
12. Ilford, Crudine, and Sofala, twice a week.
13. Mudgee, Eurunderee, Home Rule, and Gulgong, six times a week; and Gulgong, Cobbora (via Goodaman's), Mundooran, Gilgandra, Gulargambone, and Coonamble, twice a week, by coach.
14. Mudgee, Cullenbone, and Guntawang, twice a week, on horseback.
15. Home Rule and Canadian Lead, six times a week.
16. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
17. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
18. Guntawang and Two-mile Flat, twice a week.
19. Mundooran and Baradine, via Bundella, Yarragren, Bearbong, Bidden, Youlbong, Tunderbrine, Gumin Gumin, Tenandra, Panta, Wingadgen, and Goorianowa, once a week.
20. Quambone and Carinda, via M'Quade's and Flynn's Station, once a week (for two years only).
21. Coonamble, Nebea, Billeroy, Terembone, and Urawilky, once a week.
22. Railway Station, Kelso, and Post-office, Kelso, twelve times a week.
23. Bathurst and Eurom, six times a week.
24. Bathurst, Peel, Wattle Flat, and Sofala, six times a week.
25. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
26. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
27. Sofala and Hill End, six times a week.
28. Sofala and Upper Turon (junction of Palmer's Oakey Creek with the Turon River), twice a week.
29. Sofala and Box Ridge, twice a week.
30. Hill End and Tambaroora, six times a week.
31. Hill End and Brumbin, three times a week.
32. Cow Flat and The Lagoon, twice a week.
33. Rockley, Swallow's Nest, and Burraga, via M'Alpine's and Warby's Eagle Vale, once a week.
34. Blayney and Brown's Creek, three times a week.
35. Blayney and Vittoria, twice a week.
36. Carcoar, Shaw, and Mount Macquarie, twice a week.
37. Sheet of Bark and Canowindra, via "The Islands," three times a week.
38. Sheet of Bark, Wood's Flat, and Milburn Creek, three times a week; and Milburn Creek and Darby's Falls, twice a week.
39. Cowra, Goolagong, and Forbes, three times a week.
40. Orange, Cave Creek, and Cargo, three times a week.
41. Orange and Ophir, via Lewis's Ponds, twice a week.
42. Cargo and Canowindra, three times a week.
43. Cheeseman's Creek and Molong, three times a week.
44. Forbes and Dandaloo, via Blowclear, Gunning Bland, the Troughs, Gobondry, Burra Burra, Mumble Plains, Block H. Woodlands, and Albert Waterholes, once a week.
45. Parkes and Bulgandramine, via Ginnaniguy and Coradgery, twice a week, for one year only.
46. Lake Cudgellico and Rankin's Springs, once a week, for one year only.
47. Molong, Farnham, and Ironbarks, three times a week.
48. Molong and Meranburn, once a week.
49. Black Rock and Red Hill, three times a week.
50. Obley and Dubbo, via Wambangalang, the Springs, and the Meadows, once a week.
51. Dandaloo and Cannonbar, twice a week.
52. Nyingen and No. 2 West Bogan (contractor will be required to meet the Dandaloo and Cannonbar mailman at Nyingen), twice a week.
53. Wellington, Ponto, and Arthurville, via Bushranger's Creek, once a week.

SOUTHERN ROADS.

1. Rookwood, Bankstown, and Upper Bankstown, six times a week.
2. Liverpool, Denham Court (on return by Kemp's Creek), and Bringelly, six times a week.
3. Narellan and Cobbitty, six times a week.
4. Albion Park and Shellharbour, six or seven times a week.
5. Oaks and Burragorang, three times a week.
6. Burragorang and Upper Burragorang, twice a week.
7. Railway Station and Post Office, Moss Vale, fifteen times a week or oftener.
8. Moss Vale and Sutton Forest, seven times a week.
9. Moss Vale, Barren Ground, Burrawang, Robertson, East Kangaloon, Kangaloon, and Bowral, with a branch mail to and from Burrawang and Wild's Meadow, three times a week.
10. Sutton Forest and Cross Roads, four times a week.
11. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
12. Marulan, Long Reach, and Big Hill, three times a week.
13. Bungonia and Windellama, twice a week.
14. Long Reach and Greenwich Park, three times a week.
15. Laggan and Peelwood, twice a week; and Peelwood and Tuena, once a week.
16. Bigga, Greenmantle, and Lyndhurst, once a week.
17. Goulburn, Mummell, Gullen, and Wheeo, with a branch mail to and from M'Aleer's and Woore, twice a week. (Contractor to convey letters, &c., on mail days to and from the Wheeo Post Office and the Wesleyan Chapel at Wheeo.)
18. Woore, Pejar, and Crookwell, once a week.
19. Wheeo, Narrawa, Reid's Flat, Graham, Darby's Falls, and Cowra via Buckley's, Sierson's, Smith's, and Harris's, once a week.
20. Wheeo and Dalton, twice a week, for one year only.
21. Boro and Mulloon, three times a week.
22. Foxlow and Hoskins' Town, twice a week.
23. Cooma, Gegedzerick, and Buckley's Crossing-place, via Woolway, twice a week.
24. Cooma, Numeralla, Whinstone Valley, Ballalaba, and Braidwood, via Farringdon, once a week.
25. Cooma and Bobundarah, twice a week.
26. Cooma, Dry Plain, Adaminaby, and Kiandra, via Dairyman's Plains, Wambrook, Queengallery, and Bolera, once a week.
27. Cooma, Adaminaby, Russell's, and Kiandra, via Middling Bank, once a week.
28. Gegedzerick and Jindabyne, twice a week.
29. Nimitybelle, Brown Mountain, and Bega, via Benbooka Station and W. Hanscombe's, Numbugga, once a week.
30. Bombala, Cathcart, Candelo, and Merimbula, once a week.
31. Candelo, Kameruka, and Brown Mountain, via Benbooka Station, once a week.
32. Delegate and Corrowong, three times a week.
33. Braidwood, Charleyong, Tomboy, Nerriga, and Nowra, once a week.
34. Braidwood and the Schoolhouse, near Little Bombay, once a week.
35. Moruya and Kiora, twice a week.
36. Major's Creek and Ballalaba, twice a week.
37. Bega, Wolumla, Merimbula, Pambula, and Eden, twice a week.
38. Goulburn and Currawang, twice a week.
39. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
40. Taralga and Banaby, twice a week.
41. Breadalbane and Gurrundah, once a week.
42. Railway Station, Gunning, and Post-office, Gunning, six or seven times a week.
43. Gunning and Dalton, twice a week.
44. Dalton and Rye Park, once a week.
45. Rye Park and Burrowa, once a week.
46. Yass and Cavan, via "Brassell's Inn," Warro, and the Cavan Homestead, once a week.
47. Railway Station, Murrumburrah, and Post-offices Murrumburrah, Wombat, and Young, six times a week; and Young, Musgrave, and Grenfell, five times a week, for one year only.
48. Murrumburrah and Barwang, three times a week.
49. Burrowa, Frogmoor, and Reid's Flat, via Hovell's Creek and Phil's Creek, once a week.
50. Burrowa and Frogmoor, once a week.
51. Young, Morangarell, and Marsden's, once or twice a week.
52. Marsden's and Wollongough, via Hiawatha, once or twice a week.
53. Grenfell and Forbes, twice a week.
54. Coolac, Muttama Reef, and Cootamundra, twice a week.
55. From Cootamundra to Temora, via Dacey's, Davidson's Station, Geraldra, Telford's, Grogan's Station, and Keane's Narraburrah Station, returning to Cootamundra, via Commin's, of Combaning, and O'Brien's Gundabingle Station, once a week.
56. Junee Railway Station Post-office, Junee Receiving Office, the Reefs, and Sebastopol, via Erinvale, once a week.
57. Adelong, Reedy Flat, Bago, and Tumberumba, twice a week.
58. Tumberumba, Tooma, Welaregang Station, Tintaldra (Victoria), Welaregang Station, Ournie, and Bowna, via Camberoona, Wagra, Dora Dora, Talmalmai, Meracket, Jingillic, and Ournie Diggings (contractor to travel main road between Camberoona and Wagra), twice a week.
59. Tumut and Kiandra, once a week.
60. Tumut and Brungle, twice a week.
61. Tooma and Khancoban, via Opossum Point, once a week.
62. Urana, Daysdale, and Corowa, twice a week.
63. Rankin's Springs and Wollongough, via Eurathra, Malonga, Nariah, Willendray, Bulygulman, and Merringham, once a week, for one year only.
64. Deniliquin, Moulamein, and Balranald, via Moolpar, twice a week.
65. Menindie and Mount Gipps, once a fortnight.
66. Wilcannia, Tankerooka, Louth, Toorale, and Bourke, travelling on either side of the Darling River, once a week.
67. Wilcannia and Hungerford, once a week.
68. Jerelderie, Daysdale, Lowesdale, Annan Vale, and Corowa, once a week.
69. Jerelderie and Wilson, once a week.
70. Albury, Bungowannah, Howlong, Corowa, Mulwalla, Tocumwall, and Deniliquin, twice a week.
71. Albury, Dight's Forest, Burrumbuttock, Walbundrie, and Mohonga, twice a week.
72. Howlong, Moorwatha, and Goombargona twice a week.
73. Goombargona and Carnsdale, once a week.
74. Dight's Forest, Ebenezer, and Walla Walla Station, twice a week.
75. Merimbula and Candelo, on arrival of steamer at Merimbula.

NORTHERN ROADS.

1. Newcastle and Stockton, six or more times a week.
2. Charlestown and Higham Road, three times a week.
3. Charlestown, Belmont, and Catherine Hill Bay, via Lake Macquarie Heads, twice a week.
4. Tomago and Williamtown, twice a week.
5. Raymond Terrace and Nelson's Plains, six times a week.
6. Stroud, Langworthy's, Ward's River, Gloucester, Tinonee, and Taree, three times a week, BY COACH.
7. Gloucester, Nowendoc, and Walcha, once a week.
8. Gloucester, Barrington, and Back Creek, via Young's and Bogg's Stations, three times a week.
9. Gloucester and Rawdon Vale, via Berrico, twice a week.
10. Bulahdelah, Boolambayte, Bungwall Flat, and Forster, via M'Rae's Sawmills and Burraduc, once a week.
11. Manning River steamers and Post Offices, Taree and Wingham, and Taree and Tinonee, as required.
12. Tinonee and Kimbriki, via Martin's, Latimer's, Monk's, Chapman's, Moore's, Murray's, Weatherley's, Mossman's and Smith's, twice a week.
13. Cundletown and Landsdown, twice a week.
14. Port Macquarie and Ennis, via Fernbank Creek, twice a week.
15. Kempsey, West Kempsey, Greenhill, and Warneton, three times a week.
16. Frederickton, Nambucca, Deep Creek, East Raleigh, Nambucca River Heads, Fernmount, and Boat Harbour, twice a week, for two years only.
17. Nambucca and Bowraville, twice a week.
18. East Maitland, Buchanan, and Mount Vincent, three times a week.
19. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
20. Paterson, Wallarobba, and Dungog, three times a week.
21. Gresford and Lostock, three times a week.
22. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
23. Dungog, Bendolba, and Bandon Grove, three times a week.
24. Dungog and Monkerai, once a week.
25. Singleton, Vere, and Fordwich, three times a week.
26. Singleton, Bridgman, and St. Clair, once or twice a week.
27. Bridgman and Goorangoola, once or twice a week.
28. Warkworth and The Bulga, three times a week.
29. The Bulga and Howe's Valley, once a week.
30. Muswellbrook and Wybong, twice a week.
31. Denman and Kerrabee, via Rosemount, Richmond Grove, and Bellmont, three times a week.
32. Kerrabee and Wollar, via Bylong, twice a week.
33. Cassilis, Uarbry, and Denison Town, via Lamb's, O'Maily's and Piper's Hotel, twice a week.
34. Coonabarabran, Rocky Glen, and Gunnedah, via Clark's Cattle Station, Jackson's Goolhi, and Garrawilli, once or twice a week.
35. Coonabarabran, Baradine, Urawilky, and Pilliga, once a week.
36. Quirindi, Warrah Ridge (A. Nowland's), Pine Ridge, and Colly Blue, via Mooki Springs, Kickerbil and Webland, twice a week.
37. Quirindi, Spring Ridge, and Tally Ho, via Walhollow, Darby's Downs, M'Clelland, and Goran Lake, twice a week.
38. Quirindi and Wallabadah, via Quirindi Station and Main Road, three or six times a week.
39. Narrabri, Rocky Glen, and Coonabarabran, via Bohemia, Robinson's, Ryan's, Bowie's, Kain's, Cucubi, Pebbles, Borah, Yaminabal, Sandbank, Dundy, and Slattery's, once a week.
40. Narrabri, Millie, Bumble, and Moree, three times a week.
41. From Pilliga to Capp's Millie, thence to Buckiebone, Burren, Capel's, and Cryan, returning to Pilliga by the same route, once a week.
42. Walgett, Mogil Mogil, and Mungindi via Collarenebri and Barrington, once a week.
43. Walgett, Goodooga, and Brenda, once a week.
44. Moree and Kunopia, via Bogree, Midkin, Weibon, Garah, and Whalan, twice a week.
45. Line withdrawn. See supplementary notice.
46. From Mogil Mogil to Currawillinghi, via Bagot's, Medlicott's, Brown's, and Hill's Stations, returning from Currawillinghi to Mogil Mogil, via Bloxsom's, once a week.
47. Garah and Mungindi, twice a week.
48. Tamworth, Dungowan, Woolomon, Bowling Alley Point, Nundle, and Hanging Rock, via Mount Pleasant, three times a week.
49. Goonoo Goonoo and Currabubula, six times a week.
50. Bingera, Little Plain, and Inverell, via Cooranggoora, and Myall Creek, once a week.
51. Warialda, Yetman, Boggabilla, and Goondawindi, via Gournama and Wallangra, twice a week.
52. Somerton and Keepit, twice a week.
53. Stanborough and Tingha, three times a week.
54. Bonshaw and Tenterfield, via Clifton Station, Mole Station, and the south side of the Severn River, once a week.
55. Armidale and Kempsey, via Toorookoo, Nulla Nulla, Peedree Creek, Towel Creek, Long Flat, Giogia, Wollumbie, and Hillgrove, once a week.
56. Armidale and Grafton, via Gara Station, once a week.
57. Deepwater and Silent Grove, via Nine-mile and Tableland, once a week.
58. Clarence River Steamers and Post Office Iluka, as required, to meet steamers that arrive and depart or that pass up and down the river; and Post Offices Iluka and Clarence River Heads, twice a week.
59. Iluka, Woodburn, Wyrallah, Gundurimba, and Lismore, twice a week.
60. Woodburn, Kilgin, Broadwater, East Wardell, Wardell, and Ballina, via Green's, twice a week.
61. Woodburn, Swan Bay, Coraki, Codrington, Tatham, and Casino, twice a week.
62. Lismore and Kynnumboon, once a week.
63. Lismore and Tirrania, once a week.
64. Lismore, Wollongbar, Alstonville, and Ballina, once a week, on horseback.
65. Kynnumboon and Tweed Junction, three times a week.
66. Steamer's Wharf, Grafton, and Post-office, Grafton, one arrival and departure of steamers.
67. Grafton and Lionsville (contractor to travel by the new line of road), once a week.
68. Grafton, South Grafton, Upper Kangaroo Creek, and Fernmount, via Kangaroo Creek Station, Mrs. Burns's and Glenreagh, once a week.
69. Brush Grove and Broadmouth Creek, twice a week.
70. Lawrence, Casino, and Lismore, twice a week, by coach.
71. Casino and Unumgar (Sherwood's Station), once a week.
72. Rocky Mouth and Chatsworth Island, on the days that the Grafton steamers from Sydney arrive at Rocky Mouth.

SUBURBAN LINES.

1. General Post Office, Redfern branch Post-office, Waterloo, Botany Road, and Botany, twelve times a week.
2. General Post Office, Camperdown, Annandale, Ashfield, Enfield, Druitt Town, Bark Huts, Bankstown, and Upper Bankstown, six times a week.
3. General Post Office, Macdonald Town, St. Peters, and Tempe, twelve times a week; and Tempe, Arncliffe, Kogarah, and Gannon's Forest, six times a week.
4. Marrickville and Forest Hill, three times a week.

J. F. BURNS.

General Post Office, Sydney,
4th October, 1878.

A TELEGRAPH OFFICE was opened on the 30th September last at
FREDERICKTON.

J. F. BURNS.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, 24th September, 1878.

OVERHEAD TRAVELLER AND STEAM CRANE FOR DARLING HARBOUR WHARF.—TENDERS will be received at this Office, until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 15th October next, from persons willing to contract for the Erection of the Timber Framing for a Traveller, and the construction of a Ten-ton Steam Crane for Darling Harbour Wharf.

Separate tenders will be received for the Timber Framework and the Steam Crane.

Plans and specification may be seen, and further particulars obtained, at the Office for the Commissioner for Railways, Phillip-street, Sydney.

Tenders are to be endorsed "Tender for Traveller, Framing, or Steam Travelling Crane," as the case may be.

The Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

STANMORE PLATFORM.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after 7th October, 1878, the undermentioned Suburban Trains will stop at Stanmore Platform to set down and pick up passengers, viz.:—

From Sydney at 6.30, 7.30, 9.7, 10.30 a.m., 12.30, 2.30, 5.0, 5.35, 6.10, 7, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.15 p.m.

From Stanmore for Sydney at 6.35, 7.49, 8.22, 9.5, 9.59, 11.59 a.m., 2.26, 4.26, 6.29, 7.10, 7.59, 9.41, 10.41, and 11.23 p.m.

Additional Train from Sydney on Saturdays at 2 p.m.

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CHAS. A. GOODCHAP,
Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch,
Sydney, September 30, 1878.

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WM. MILES,
Secretary for Public Works.

Railway Department,
Brisbane, 2nd August, 1878.

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REVIEW.

The Australian. Turner and Henderson, Sydney.

We have received a copy of "The Australian," the first number of a new magazine published by Messrs. Turner and Henderson, of Hunter-street. There have been so many ventures of this kind, and so many failures, that a publisher who puts forth another specimen of what must eventually become one of the staple commodities of the colonial literary market, deserves encouragement if only for his perseverance. But, to secure a profitable sale, the contents of any magazine which may now be put before the public, must be sufficiently attractive and meritorious to invade successfully the preference which people show for English magazines; and, to remove the prejudice which a long list of indifferent colonial publications, under the name of magazines, have established in the public mind. We should like to see "The Australian" prove itself equal to the task, and with care it may be made to do so. It is enclosed in a very attractive cover, is well printed, and promises an excellent monthly assortment of literature. The principal portion of the preface says:—

"In assuming the title of 'The Australian,' we hope to make good our right to the name, our wish being to establish a magazine written for Australians by Australians—Australians in the truest sense—those who have made this land their own equally with their kinsmen born on the soil. We profess in effect to be national in our views, national in our politics, national in our relations to all public and social questions, and our idea of 'nationality' is not limited by the artificial obstructions which now split up the Australian people. Our ambition is to place before the reading public such literary diet as they will approve, and we think that we understand the palates of those for whom we propose to cater. We intend that our monthly bill of fare shall offer something for everybody—good substantial staples, economic and political—served up with plain speaking and sound logic; science dealt with in the lucid fashion, best loved by the student; and side by side with these we hope there will be found lighter diet—seasoned with art and fancy—prose and poem, as much as may be written from a local point of view, and smacking racy of the soil."

This extract, which is the larger part of the leading article of the magazine entitled "Ourselves," does not exhibit the style of a practised literary hand, but it will give our readers a good idea of what the conductors of the publication hope to do. The contents of the number just issued are agreeably varied, and some are very readable. Most of the contributions, however, we are compelled to say, are not at all up to the standard of a good magazine article. The number opens with a tale entitled "St. Lawrence," written apparently in the interests of the Health Society, for the object of the writer is to draw attention to the fatal effects of "house poison," arising from bad drainage and the want of fresh air in houses situated in the suburbs of Sydney. People may be more disposed to make themselves acquainted with these matters when they are dressed in the garb of fiction than when they are presented in three or four unbroken columns of a newspaper; but as a subject for a tale, defective drainage is not a happy one, and when the fictitious covering is so meagre that the tale appears little more than a paraphrase of some of the statements in one of Mr. Burton Bradley's lectures, the reader is likely to consider himself or herself entrapped and to throw down the book. It needs a very skilful hand to reform or improve society by means of fiction, and the moment the writer's intention becomes too transparent his object is defeated. "A Chapter of Turkish Romance" is the name of an article which opens with a premature panegyric on the position of England in regard to the Eastern Question, and gives some historical particulars concerning the lives of several of the Turkish Sultans and their relatives. As an epitomised account of some striking incidents in Turkish history, the article is interesting. It is preceded and followed by some original verses which do not display any particular merit, and the next contribution is an account of a holiday trip, or "Three Days on the Hawkesbury." The subject is an attractive one, and the material that might be gathered along the Hawkesbury the richest for descriptive writing; but the reader of this paper would have no idea from it that the scenery along the banks of this river is ranked amongst the finest in the world, and the composition of the article is inferior to that which would be found in a letter describing the trip from any tolerably educated young lady to a friend. A tale of the future, entitled "The Days of the Telephone," is nicely written, and will be found interesting; but it bears evidence of a want of care on the part of the editor of the magazine, for while the paper upon Turkish romance panegyrises England for the position she has taken in the East, this tale of the future speaks of the march of a British army under Wolseley through Anatolia to retrieve disasters to England in 1880. This inconsistency in opinion which the editor has allowed to creep into the magazine is more apparent, by comparing the eulogy before mentioned with an article entitled "Aspects of Tory Foreign Policy," which is intended to be severely condemnatory of Lord Beaconsfield and the recent foreign policy of the Conservative party. Among the remainder of the articles in the magazine are a paper on "The South Seas," giving an account of the promotion and growth of coral islands; "Stray Thoughts," a mere trifle as far as being a literary production, but nevertheless nicely written, and suggestive of ideas in connection with some of our favourite authors pleasant to think upon; "Practical Science;" a vigorous eulogy of Dr. Lang in an article entitled "A Veteran"; the first portion of a tale called "Windabyne"; and "The Dream of Sangobert,"—all of which are worth perusing. An article on "Australian Confederation," might be of some benefit if it were not so intemperate, and its intemperance has led the writer into downright misstatement. He says:—

"There is scarcely a gifted preacher or an eloquent barrister in Australia," that "the 'golden calf' is an object of worship rather than character or intellect, and the State is considered to have so little concern with religion that its teachers are left to live in poverty, and die in poverty."

There are several efforts at poetry in the magazine, but the only one worth commending is "Lucy's Song of Spring," which is very pretty, but faulty in respect of giving prominence to flowers which are more characteristic of an English than of an Australian Spring. We should like to see "The Australian" succeed. There are many difficulties inseparable from the production of the first number of a magazine of this kind, and it is only as the publication proceeds that they can be overcome.

RUSSIA AND WESTERN EUROPE.—The *Russky Mir*, in an article on the relations of Russia with the European Powers, comes to the conclusion that there is no Western State on whose assistance she can rely. "It would be idle," says the writer, "to hope for anything more from foreign policy in regard to the Eastern question. International policy will now for a long time be useless to us; nowhere in Europe will we find friends or allies. A *rapprochement* with England, which is advocated with singular eagerness by one of our serious papers, can only be regarded as a bitter mockery of the real facts. The open hostility of the English and their Government towards Russia can hardly make the Russian people inclined to an alliance with England, even if such an alliance were under present circumstances possible. Still less can we have any idea of a political and sympathetic *approchement* with France and Italy, where hatred for Russia has from time immemorial been a universally accepted dogma of political and social faith. The only official allies we have hitherto had—the Germans—are already occupied in forming new ties and relations to take the place of the former intimate relations with Russia; this was partly observable at the Berlin Congress. The German Crown Prince, who is now the actual ruler of the powerful German Empire, has never concealed his exclusive partiality for England, to which country, moreover, he is also united by close family ties. It is said that Lord Beaconsfield has already gained at Berlin some important points for the future Anglo-German alliance; and this would necessarily be followed by a corresponding coolness in the relations between Germany and Russia. Every one knows that the friendship of Germany for us has always been essentially maintained by the personal feelings of the Emperor William; the public opinion of the German people at all times rather inclined to our adversaries. Of Austria and the secondary States in South-eastern Europe we will not speak. They always follow the stream, and bend in the direction taken by the dominant feeling of Europe. It is, therefore, absolutely necessary that we should hold entirely aloof from existing international conditions, and direct our attention to establishing that practical programme to which Russia must henceforward adhere in order to secure her most vital political interests."

The British Medical Association, after hearing an earnest plea from Mrs. Garrett-Anderson for the admission of women practitioners to the association, passed a new by-law declaring that no female shall be eligible for election.

A Cabul news letter reports that the Chinese authorities sent an agent to the Russian Governor-General, asking him to send back to Kashgar the family of the late Yakub Beg who were in refuge in Farghana. The Russians would not consent to this, but removed the said family to Tashkend.

PASTOR CHINIQUY'S ADDRESSES.

On Saturday evening, the Rev. Chas. Chiniquy gave another address in the Protestant Hall, on the subject—"Rome, and Liberty of Conscience." There was a very large attendance. Mr. R. M'Coy presided, and surrounding him on the platform were many ministers and gentlemen of different denominations.

A hymn having been sung, and prayer offered by the Rev. Dr. Kelynack,

The Rev. Mr. CHINIQUY said that his heart was pained when he looked back over three centuries, and saw the things which had been done by the Church of Rome in Europe. He was sad when he saw that the priests of Rome had lighted with their own hands fires which consumed the father and the mother and the children who differed from them in religion. His heart was sad when he had to speak on the subject of "Rome and liberty of conscience." He was sad because he loved Roman Catholics—bishops, priests, and people—because they were so wrong, and sometimes did not know they were wrong. Roman Catholics were walking in the wrong track—their Church had put them out of the pale of civilisation, not to speak of Christianity. He came here with the help of God to open their eyes. He did not ask them to believe him but to look at their own books, and to punish him if he said a single word which was not recorded in their own history. The Church of Rome was the bitter enemy of liberty. Persecution and hatred of liberty was her life, and without it she would fall. It was a fundamental principle and she boasted of it. He had read all her Councils for the last ten centuries, and he challenged the Bishop and priests of the Church of Rome to point to a single one of those Councils which did not say that heretics must be put to death—that it was not only the right, but the duty of the Church of Rome to kill heretics. These Councils were infallible as they said. The Bishops at one of the Councils forced the Emperor to put to death one of the brightest lights of past ages. And the Pope of Rome asked the Emperor of Germany why he did not burn that heretic Luther. When the King of France caused 75,000 Protestants to be slaughtered—what did the Pope do and say. He was filled with incredible joy, and, raising his hands to God, said "Oh Almighty God be blessed." And he sent a letter of congratulation to the King of France, and gave a large sum of money to the man who had brought him such good news. He also set all the bells of the city of Rome ringing, and ordered all the cannons to be shot for joy. Let them look through the pages of history of the most infamous and degraded nations, and tell him if they could find any cruelty such as that. A religion that did such things could not be Christianity. The Pope was the great enemy of Christ. In his heart he might be the kindest of men. But then he was the Pope of Rome, and the spirit of the devil was in him, and destroyed every sentiment of humanity. While he was a priest he had the reputation of being a very learned man. Still he must confess that though he had read many books, he was exceedingly ignorant. Nevertheless, there were some things that he knew, and when he knew a thing he knew it—(laughter)—and there was no man who would come before him and deny it, because he had certain manners to put it that would bring it clear to a man's brain. (Cheers.) If the Bishop of Sydney would have the kindness, if he was brave enough, to try to defend his Church, he was sure he would convince him. While he was a priest of Rome he studied and learned by heart the best book of the Church of Rome on theology—St. Thomas Aquinas. That book was the standard book for bishops and priests, to be read every year. Well, that book said that if heretics remained obstinate after the first condemnation they were to be handed over to the secular power that they might be exterminated. [The extract from the book was here read by the Rev. George Sutherland.] In France four millions of Protestants had been killed or had died from persecution, and when, as a priest, he read of the thousands and millions of Protestants who had been slaughtered in that and other countries of Europe, he felt that if it had been in his power to put a million of barrels under the feet of the Protestants of all the world, and if it had been necessary that he should have put a match and blown them up, even though by doing so he would give up his own life, God knew the truth that he would have had great pleasure in blowing them up, because his church had told him that they were the cause that that church was not the mistress of the world. At that time he hated Protestants in such a way that he could not express it; and there was not a single Roman Catholic priest but who would make this same confession. In the early days of their ancestors, on the hills of Scotland, and among the beautiful valleys of England, the people were not allowed to read the word of God. A voice came from the Pope, saying, "Why don't you put to death these men who are reading the Bible? don't you see that they will destroy our holy church," and people connected with the noblest families were put to death because they would not give up their Bibles, and because they would not kneel down before idols and the Virgin Mary. (The lecturer referred to the cases of several martyrs.) Some of them might say,—"That these things are things of the past. Why does this man come to bring trouble between Catholics and Protestants." There were some weak kneed Protestants among them who would say that. (Cheers.) That class of Protestants were amongst the most contemptible men in the world. (Cheers.) He would tell them why. They were all on a volcano. Though they did not suspect it, they were condemned to death; and every priest thought he had a right, when he would be strong enough, to put them to death. Every bishop thought he had a right not only to their life but also to their property. When he went out of the Church of Rome they determined to destroy him by bringing false witnesses against him. When he was accused of all kinds of crimes it came into his mind to bring in his defence the Bishop of Chicago into Court, and to make him swear out of his own mouth that it was his duty to destroy him. When the Bishop was brought before the Court of Kentucky he asked the Bishop if he knew this book called "St. Thomas Aquinas." The Bishop said he would not answer. The Judge said, "If you do not answer I will send you to gaol." And then the Bishop had to swear that he knew it—that it was a book of the laws of the Church. And before the Judge and Protestant lawyers he had to swear that unless Protestants submitted to the Roman Catholic Church they must be exterminated according to this book. And then heretics, even though they repented, were still under sentence of death. That could not be removed. And the Bishop of Chicago might say to him if he repented, that he would pardon him and give him absolution, and then after that the Bishop might send some one to cut his throat; and then it might be said that he had no reason to complain as he had been forgiven, and should go to Heaven. The Bishop had to admit on oath that was the law of the Church. [Here the rev. lecturer called upon the Rev. George Sutherland to read other parts of St. Thomas Aquinas' work, particularly respecting the degradation of various grades and classes of Protestants by the Romish Church.] Protestants had no right to their homes and property. They belonged to the Pope. The Bishop of Chicago had to swear to all these things before the Court. Some persons would say that these things had passed long ago; but they were still the law of the Church of Rome. The last Council, just eight years ago, declared that those who did not believe in the justice of these laws were to go to hell. They were bound by oath to believe them. If the Roman Catholics gained a numerical majority in the country religious freedom would be at an end. (Further extracts were here read.) Religious liberty was merely tolerated until the law of the Church could be carried into effect without peril to the Catholic world. It was their duty to be watchful; for the Catholics were brave, and in the United States it was certain that before long we should hear of the Church of Rome triumphing. But there would be a terrible conflict, as Protestants would not bear with tyranny. (Cheers.) Perhaps Roman Catholics would tell them that Protestants had killed Roman Catholics. So they had to do it, to defend themselves and punish their murderers. The Roman Catholics would do here what they did in Montreal when they wanted to kill him. He had seen stones falling around him so thick, that he thought his last moment had come. After six months' of persecution four Orangemen went to the Bishop at Montreal and they said to him, "When we conquered Canada, 100 years ago, we gave you liberty of conscience, but it was with the condition that the Protestants should have that liberty too. But it appears we have not that liberty. You think you have a right to try to prevent us from worshipping God. Here is one man that you have killed, and there is a man that you have killed. You have determined to kill us. We have come to tell you this thing, that if Chiniquy is killed we are 300,000 men sworn to come up and visit your city of Montreal, and the next week after not a single priest nor a single nun will be seen in Montreal." (Cheers.) "All your churches will be swept away, and there will be a hurricane which will not leave a stone upon stone of all your churches and nunneries. Now, good bye." Well, the very same day the Bishop sent out orders to say: "Do not touch Chiniquy. Let him go, because these Orangemen will kill us all." (Laughter.) Well, that was the only way to make Catholics understand that they must not use force to carry out their laws. Among the Roman Catholics there were two classes—the good and the bad. We had nothing to fear from the bad kind. If the priests told them to cut our throats they would not do it, they had more common sense than that. But a good Roman Catholic would do it because his church commanded him to do it. The principles of liberty, of charity, and of humanity, which were the life of Protestant nations were unknown to the priests of Rome. He could prove to them that even Manning was prepared to bring a war of extermination against Protestants—against all those who were the foes of the Pope's government. These were the words of Manning. "Now, when the nations of Europe have revolted, and when they have dethroned, as far as men can dethrone, the vicar of Jesus Christ, and when they have made the usurpation of the holy city a part of international law, there is only one solution of the difficulty impending; that is the terrible scourge of a continental war—a war which will exceed the horrors of the wars of the first empire, and the Vicar of Jesus Christ will be put again in his rightful place." This Roman Catholic would put the Vicar of Christ on his throne over the dead bodies of millions of men. It was the intention of the Church of Rome to bring on a war of religion, and that would come before long in the United States. But he knew that God would be at the head of the soldiers of liberty; and that all these plots of the priests and bishops against human liberty would bring upon them the wrath of God and men. But this would come only after the whole world would be compassed by religious wars. The Roman Catholic Church was longing after that. They were desirous of seeing the days when the nations would fight against each other on account of religion, in order to destroy liberty and to force Europe to accept the Pope for the ruler of nations. But, as Jesus said, those who used the sword should perish by the sword. He told Peter to put up the sword when it was drawn against His enemies. Jesus did not want persecution, or that men should be slaughtered and exterminated because they rejected Him or persecuted Him. That was the reason why the priests had so much fear of the Gospel being preached and the Bible read. In this country they were blessed with the highest privileges of liberty of conscience, transmitted by their ancestors, and he hoped that in the spirit of the martyrs all the citizens of Australia would rally round the banner of liberty, and that all the enemies of liberty would disappear. (Cheers.)

The proceedings were terminated with the benediction

REVENGE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Your correspondent "Veritas" describes what I wrote in my last letter to you as "falsities springing from a false basis, truths falsified, and conclusions erroneous and superficial." Now, Sir, when a man uses terms of this kind he should, at least, be prepared, by clear convincing argument and unanswerable reasoning, to make good his position. But, instead of doing this, he proceeds to involve himself in a series of flat contradictions, inconsistencies, and incoherencies, which I hold it to be my duty, in justice to myself, to point out. Your correspondent says that I say "that revenge and a wish to avenge an outrage mean one and the same thing." I think I have already said that there is a revenge that is diabolic as well as a revenge that is celestial. There are men who have revenged themselves upon good men, simply on account of their goodness. Could anything be imagined more diabolic, more infernal than this. There are men who, witnessing a cruel murder, have brought swift destruction upon the two-legged tiger, the author of it, with righteous hatred in their hearts when they did so. From heaven is the feeling that prompted this act. Everlastingly just and righteous is it, whether done on the sudden feeling of resentment that glowed in a single heart, or as the result of a careful examination and trial. Holding, as I do, that the Bible is the truest book that was ever written, I have quoted it to prove that the Ruler is a "revenger executing wrath against those who do evil." This is exactly the view I take, yet no one notices this. It is too ugly a part of the argument for my opponents to do anything but to give it quietly the go-by. It tells too strongly, too truthfully, and too authoritatively against them. I will here quote a short passage from the celebrated Bishop Butler, as confirming all I have said on this subject. "Let us reflect," says the Bishop, "upon the manner in which we are touched with reading, suppose a feigned story of baseness and villainy. This immediately raises indignation, a desire that it should be punished, and though the designed injury be prevented, yet that it was designed is sufficient to raise this inward feeling. Suppose the story true, this inward feeling would be as natural and as just, and one may venture to affirm that there is scarce a man in the world but would have it upon some occasions. It seems in us plainly connected with a sense of virtue and vice, of moral good and evil. The indignation raised by cruelty and injustice and the desire of having it punished, which persons unconcerned would feel, is by no means malice; no, it is resentment against vice and wickedness; it is one of the common bonds by which society is held together; a fellow feeling which such individual has on behalf of the whole species as well as of himself. And this seems to be the whole of this passion, which is, properly speaking, natural to mankind, namely, a resentment against injury and wickedness in general." And so the magistrate or ruler "beareth not the sword in vain, but is God's minister—a revenger to execute wrath against those who do evil." Your correspondent says this "Revenge is a passion springing from malice and hatred, and takes its rise from the evil side of our nature, and is directly contrary to vengeance of justice, which is heaven-born, &c." What else have I been saying all along? Your correspondent seems to draw some distinction between avenging and revenge. On turning up Johnson's Dictionary, I find revenge is explained to mean—return for an injury, to punish and avenge—to revenge, to punish. Your correspondent may make the most of the difference here. "Veritas" says, with singular inconsistency and contradiction of himself, as well as a sad confusion of ideas, "The true man does not hate the criminal; he rather pities the criminal, and hates the crime." I submit to the judgment of all sensible men in asking them if this is not sad stuff. Why, what is the crime but the criminal? The crime is nothing but for the criminal. It was made by the criminal, and could not have existed without the criminal. To hate the crime and not hate the author of it is just about as consistent as saying, "I hate sin, but I love the devil." Into such absurdities are men landed when they affect to be superfine in their morality and refuse to see plain facts which the knowledge of their own nature must be constantly bringing before their eyes. But your correspondent immediately after having made the above statement, says, "He has an abhorrence of and hatred of the criminal only so long as he believes him to be evilly disposed." What inconsistency and incoherence is this as compared with his statement "that he pities the criminal, and does not hate him but hates the crime." He "abhors and hates" the criminal until he repents and reforms; then, if there is no repentance and reformation, he will "abhor and hate" him to the end, and yet this same writer says, in the same breath, that "he does not hate the criminal, he rather pities him, and hates the crime"—at the same time knowing that there could be no crime without the criminal; that the criminal conceives, plans, and executes the crime, and is the very incarnation of the crime itself, and is further, the only tangible thing or object to rest hatred upon at all, or to give any meaning to it whatever. Surely some men would do well to reflect a little before they speak. Suppose some fiend in human shape had contrived some diabolical crime, say to throw a railway train, with its living freight, off the rails and over an embankment, and had succeeded. What wretched, pitiful, snivelling lunacy would it be to hear anyone say he did not "hate," but "pitied" the unexampled miscreant whose black infernal heart conceived and executed a crime so appalling. The man whose whole soul would not blaze up into one intense flame of inexorable, unappeasable, hatred of such a wretch, is neither worthy of the name of man or Christian, and the presence of such men in society, if any such exist, is a danger only secondary to the presence of the murderous ruffian whose existence I hope I have only imagined. Your correspondent's letter is so full of inconsistencies and contradictions that it would weary me to point them all out. In enumerating his feelings on hearing of a crime he sums up as follows:—(1) Sorrow for the victim; (2) abhorrence of the crime; (3) a desire to see it avenged—which according to Johnson and common sense means revenged. And after making this statement he says "punishments for crime are imposed to protect and deter, not to revenge." Again, a little further on he says, "A wise man must either imitate the vicious or hate them"—adding immediately, as if to correct the slip, "not the individuals but the vices." I can hardly see how a wise man of all men "must either imitate the vicious or hate them." If by the vicious he means criminals, I believe that none but very foolish men would "imitate" them. The sentence seems to me nonsense, not very capable of being understood. The passage in 'Veritas'' letter about legislators not being actuated by vengeance in appointing severe punishment for the criminal, because it is possible some of them may become liable to the punishment themselves, and, he adds, "I do not think a man hates himself, or would wish to be revenged upon himself," is so absolutely puerile, and indeed childish, that I can give it no other answer. Your correspondent concludes his letter by asserting that "we live in a very superficial age." So it would appear.

I remain, Sir, your very obedient servant,
Sydney, October 1. DAVID BUCHANAN.

THE CONDITION AND RESOURCES OF CYPRUS.—The special correspondent of the *Standard* at Larnaca sends the following summary of the result of investigations which have been instituted in regard to the present geographical, topographical, and social condition of the Island of Cyprus:—There are 220,000 people in Cyprus, three-fourths of whom are Christians. In Nicosia the Moslems are in the majority, and are fanatical, but the Christians are in a great majority everywhere else. The inhabitants generally are peacefully disposed, lazy, tolerant to strangers, fond of pleasure, and somewhat addicted to intemperance, but robbery and murder are unknown among them. Midsummer is the worst season of the year for health. The rural districts are, however, nearly free from fever. The Turkish soldiers in Cyprus number 500; besides which there are also 275 zaptiehs, or Turkish policemen. Nicosia is protected by ramparts, which are armed with forty ancient cannon, capable of no very great defensive operations. Famagusta is surrounded by walls of some strength, but they stand in need of a proper armament. Baffo and Larnaca are weakly protected from the sea. Kyussia can be made a formidable stronghold. Limasol and Famagusta are the only ports where the landing of troops can be easily accomplished. At Larnaca there is no rainfall during ten months of the year, but when the rains set in they are more like torrents sweeping down from the far-away mountains than what Western Europeans are accustomed to. These torrent beds are perfectly dry during the two summer months. There are three aqueducts, which usually contain good water. About one-fourth of the land has been cultivated. The land in the north is mostly held by peasant proprietors, but a few of the estates reach to as great an extent as 3000 acres. The ordinary crop-bearing ground fetches £3 an acre, and the cotton-producing ground £10. The exports exceed the imports by considerably over £200,000. A large trade is done in wool and locust-beans, which are extensively exported to Austria and Russia. The cotton grown in Cyprus is from American seed and is excellent, and the trade in cotton is being gradually developed. Some trade is also done in tobacco and in madder, but the cultivation of these articles wants encouragement. Copper and splendid asbestos are to be found near Baffo, and amber and copperas near Larnaca. There are salt lakes in the island of great extent, and very lucrative; they are Government property. Turkey drew over £200,000 yearly profit out of the island, but the sources from which this sum came can be easily so managed as to produce half a million sterling, and the island be benefited in the process. The revenue of the island is derived principally from agricultural tithes, duties on wine and stamps, a sheep tax, and a salt monopoly. The administration of the several local councils and law courts has been exercised by Moslems and Christians, all of whom have been elected by the people. The administrators who were found existing have been allowed to continue their functions under the control of a British Court of Appeal. At Nicosia the Christians are in the enjoyment of civil and religious freedom. One archbishop and three bishops of the Greek Church were elected by the people, and their position and dignity were respected by the Turkish Government.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—October 5.

Helene, schooner, 149 tons, Captain Christensen, from River Don 25th ultimo. C. B. Bond, agent.

Annie Moore, schooner, 90 tons, Captain Pasley, from River Forth 27th ultimo. Captain, agent.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), 670 tons, Captain Brown, from Melbourne 3rd instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. G. Darrell, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Wagner, Miss L. Smith, Miss Lloyd, Miss Dougall, Messrs. L. N. Playfair, C. Klengner, Dr. Downie, Messrs. J. Dougall, J. Blanksby, F. P. Pines, J. A. Cantor, J. B. Goulston, F. Rigg, H. Hart, E. Adam, F. Hobbs, L. Ballhanson, and 20 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Agnes Irving, (s.), 400 tons, Captain Magee, from the Macleay 4th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Arnold, Messrs. Clarke, White, Russell, Collopy, Hilder, Frost, Parker, and 5 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Co., agents.

Monaro (s.), 560 tons, Captain Sheed, from Merimbula 4th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. and Miss Keon, Misses A. and E. Wren, Miss Tieler, Mrs. Sindall, Mrs. Bonneman, Messrs. Wood, Wren, Chapman, Smooth, and 4 in the steerage. I. S. N. Co., agents.

Lubra (s.), 400 tons, Captain Chudleigh, from Grafton 3rd instant. Nipper and Sec, agents.

Day Spring, schooner, 180 tons, Captain Braithwaite, from the South Sea Islands 18th ultimo. Passengers—Mrs. Braithwaite, Mrs. Cronstadt and 2 children, Master Payten, and 2 natives. J. Cosh, agent.

Balclutha (s.), 262 tons, Captain Beel, from Maryborough 1st instant, via Brisbane. Passengers—Mrs. Kilgour 4 children and servant, Mrs. Shelbourn, Mrs. J. J. Knipe, Miss Clark, Miss J. Ryan, Miss A. Ryan, Miss Codrington, Rev. W. G. Taylor, Messrs. W. Kilgour, W. B. Stephens, A. C. Blackburn, J. G. Haynes, J. Palethorpe, W. Lawrence, R. Mailer, D. M'Gregor, W. Lupton, Power, F. Burns, Master Massy, Master Lethbridge, and 23 in the steerage. A. S. N. Company, agents.

Blengfell, ship, 1154 tons, Captain M'Culloch, from Liverpool 6th July. Lorimer, Rome, and Co., agents.

October 6.

Waterwitch, schooner, 160 tons, Captain Boyle, from Maryborough 26th ultimo. J. Phillips and Co., agents.

Java, barque, 700 tons, Captain Bergstrom, from Newcastle 27th ultimo. Captain, agent.

Mavis, schooner, 80 tons, Captain Denton, from Wide Bay 27th ultimo. Captain, agent.

Leonidas, schooner, 111 tons, Captain Rusmussen, from Circular H[illegible] 28th ultimo. Captain, agent.

James Paterson (s.), 526 tons, Captain Wynn, from Rockhampton 2nd instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Peatrie, Messrs. Quinlan, Hamlin, Prince, Stubbs, and 20 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

Beagle (s.), 180 tons, Captain Hersee, from the Manning 5th instant. Passenger—Mr. Pullen. J. Ritchie, agent.

Diamantina (s.), 200 tons, Captain Herron, from the Manning 5th instant. Passengers—Miss Andrews, Messrs. Crofton, Wilson (2), M'Culloch, Andrews, Murray, and 1 in the steerage. M. R. Co., agent.

City of Grafton (s.), 555 tons, Captain Bracegirdle, from Grafton 5th instant. Passengers—Mrs. Purdie, Misses Ogilvie (2), Mrs. Short, Mrs. Cropley and child, Miss Collis, Miss Jones, Miss M'Neil, Miss Bate, Messrs. Chevaul, Baird, Verge, Rapp, Hartley, Cree, Porter, M'Donald, Hartley, Carlton, Hotsdon, Gibbons, Hynes, M'Pherson, Poole, Harge, Bismark, and 20 in the steerage. C. and R. R. Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—October 5.

Berean, for Wollongong.
Mimosa, for Bateman's Bay.
Black Prince, for Shanghai.
Minnie, for Adelaide.
Amy Robsart, for Melbourne.
City of Melbourne (s.), for Melbourne.
Garonne (s.), for Melbourne.
Normanby (s.), for Singapore.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—October 7.

Ephemey, for Huon Islands; Frederica, Stratheden, for Newcastle; Venture, for South Sea Islands; Egmont (s.), for Brisbane.

CLEARANCES.—October 4.

Garonne (s.), 2463 tons, Captain Owen, for London via Melbourne and Adelaide. Passengers for London—Saloon: Mrs. H. R. Robinson, 3 children, and nurse; Mrs. Edwards, child, and nurse; Miss Stansfield, Miss Christie, Bishop Selwyn, Master S. Selwyn, Mr. R. Nobbs, Masters Cox (3), Dr. C. Gibson, Captain A. Carronne. Second cabin: Mr. and Mrs. Laport and child, Mr. and Mrs. Bouvin and 3 children, Miss Bouvin, Mr. and Mrs. Ducroix and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Delancis, Mr. and Mrs. Masconi and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Labedda, infant, and 4 children, Mr. and Mrs. Souton and child, Mr. and Mrs. Mancel, Madame Lignon and son, Messrs. Montalembert, Poutier, Vaillard, Lang, Mancel, Bouquet, Graff, Beaumont, Dumesnil, Compana, Delisconet, Hert, Bosignorin, H. Furneau, W. Daniels, A. and H. Hamilton, W. Spooner, R. Stewart, Miss Bant, Mrs. F. Osborn, Captain B. Soares, Mrs. E. Winio, Mr. and Mrs. Buzzigiuppi, Mr. Thomas Green, and 46 in third-class and steerage. For Melbourne: Messrs. A. Merewether, E. King Cox, D. Gunn, H. Taylor, A. Pinches, Mrs. Ogden.

City of Melbourne (s.), 834 tons, Captain Phillips, for Melbourne. Passengers—Mrs. Metcalfe, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Campbell, Miss Humphries, Mrs. Lalor, Miss Lalor, Mrs. King and 3 children. Mrs. Halleburton, Messrs. T. Poole, Metcalfe, G. Carey, T. Belton, F. Haddon, H. G. Croaker, Frank M'Kenna, Angus M'Lean, J. Kelly, J. Stodart, King, C. Tierner, Windeyer, F. Halleburton, P. Moore, Jones, and 20 in the steerage.

October 5.

Normanby (s.), 664 tons, Captain Ellis, for Hongkong, Singapore, Thursday Island, Cooktown, and Townsville.

Ephemey, schooner, 55 tons, Captain Leeman, for Huon Islands. Passenger—Mr. Bateman.

COASTERS INWARDS.—October 5.

Kembla (s.), from Newcastle, with 35 tons coke, 50 bales wool, 20 bales hay, 8 bales skins, 20 baskets prawns, 25 sacks maize, and sundries; Morpeth (s.), from Hunter River, with 103 bales wool, 148 bales hay, 14 bags bones, 107 bags coke, 21 bales skins, 27 hides, 20 bags maize, 2 casks tallow, 16 dozen brooms, 4 casks beer, 12 cases eggs; Venture and Scotia, from Newcastle, with 270 tons coal; Havilah (s.), from Bulli, with 358 tons coal; Ne Oblie (s.), from Coal Cliff, with 290 tons coal; Civility (s.), from Wollongong, with 285 tons coal; Lotus, from Cape Hawke, with 12,000 feet timber, 123 bags maize, 25,000 shingles; Titania, from Camden Haven, with 18,000 feet timber; Ada, from Manning River, with 27,000 feet timber; Ocean Bride, from Ballina, with 38,400 feet timber.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—October 5.

Scotia and Venture, for Newcastle; Ne Oblie (s.), for Coal Cliff; Havilah (s.), Civility (s.), for Wollongong; Lotus, for Cape Hawke; Lalla Rookh, for Bellinger River; Ettalong, for Camden Haven; Coombra, for Clyde River; Ada, for Manning River; Ocean Bride, for Richmond River; Clara Crawford, for M'Leay River.

IMPORTS.—October 5.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this columns.]

Helene, from Tasmania: 149 tons potatoes, 5000 staves.

Annie Moore, from Tasmania: 1350 bags potatoes.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Melbourne: For Sydney—440 bags flour, 12 trunks boots, 40 bales bags, 40 crates glass, 7 cases machinery, and sundries. For Queensland—60 chests tea, 10 casks butter, 10 cases cheese, 12 trunks boots, 10 cases acid, 12 bundles wire, 200 bags rice, 10 quarter-casks whisky, 16 bags onions, 5 tierces tobacco, 32 boxes raisins, and sundries.

Balclutha (s.), from Maryborough, with 1 bale skins, 1 cask tallow, 31 hides, 6735 mats sugar, 123 cakes copper, 3 boxes specie, 20,000 sovereigns, 35 packages.

October 6.

Waterwitch, from Maryborough, with 104,041 feet timber.
Mavis, from Wide Bay, with 42,000 feet pine.
Leonidas, from Circular Head, with 1994 bags potatoes.

Ex Ly-ee-Moon: 285 sacks Jones's superfine flour—Beilby and Co.

Ex Wakatipu: 116 sacks sharps—Beilby and Co.

EXPORTS.—October 4.

Garonne (s.), for London via Melbourne and Adelaide: 16 bales wool, 4104 ingots tin, 5192 ingots copper, 168 cases pearlshell, 2 boxes electroplate and coin, 2 bundles skins, 2 cases plants, and 29 packages sundries.

Victoria (s.), for Brisbane: 53 packages wines and spirits, 70 packages oil, 13 bundles wire, 96 packages tea, 46 kegs butter, 2 reapers, 10 bales woolpacks, 13 cases biscuits, 20 packages machinery, 15 trunks boots, 15 bags coal dust, 2 ovens, 4 kegs nails, 275 sacks salt, 25 cases 4 quarter-casks acid, 21 cases axes, 22 bags onions, 20 kegs paint, 37 packages drapery, 4 cases chairs, 4 cases bedsteads, 8 bars steel, 75 tubes, 12 links and 82 bars iron, 4 cases drugs, 5 cases mineral water, 2 cases vinegar, 2 cases sarsaparilla, 21 bags potatoes, 2 sacks seed, 4 cases plants, 4 bags nuts, 217 cases fruit and sundries.

The Clarence (s.), for Brisbane and Rockhampton: 266 packages wines and spirits, 20 packages tobacco, 159 packages tea, 10 boxes raisins, 18 bales, 50 bags hair, 12 packages oil, 110 bundles mats, 69 packages boots, 10 bales kapuk, 3 kegs washers, 284 lengths iron pipe, 297 bars and bundles iron, 1 reaper, 65 kegs butter, 10 packages pepper, 4 barrels coffee, 21 packages castings, 17 barrels currants, 50 packages preserved fruits, 30 bags bark, 1 cask acid, 8 lengths chain, 12 boiler tubes, 4 cases leather, 1 bundle yokes, 5 bales woolpacks, 7 cases books, 70 bags onions, 540 bags flour, 3 cases stationery, 136 bales hay, 90 bales chaff, 2 boxes candles, 8 cases bacon and hams, 11 bags and 2 tons rocksalt, 15 bags sugar, 15 packages oilstores, 16 cases nails, 3 kegs paint, 2 bundles buckets, 6 bars steel, 40 bags rice, 22 packages machinery, 77 lengths tube, 163 cases fruit, and sundries.

October 5.

City of Melbourne (s.), for Melbourne: 12 bales hops, 50 casks cement, 100 cases cod fish, 30 packages tobacco, 1005 bags barley, 1506 bags maize, 33 bales pulu, 3 bags meal, 10 cases mineral water, 2 trunks boots, 78 bags oysters, 8 baskets prawns, 7 hogsheads treacle, 236 hides, 1 sack seed, 6 cases plants, 622 cases fruit, and sundries.

Ephemy, schooner, for Huon Islands: 9 bags sugar, 2 packages tobacco, 1 case cigars, 7 cases wines and spirits, 3 packages vegetables, 2 boxes pipes, 6 trucks, 6 hinges, 4 plates 4 knives, 3 cases galvanised iron, 1 barrel apples, 1 package tea, 2 sets pintles, 1 copper, 3 bundles guttering and ridging, 1180 mats, 1 coil rope, 1 case butter, 2 bags fire-clay, 100 fire-bricks, 10 tons coal, 626 pieces timber, 1 pump, 2 cases hose, 2 cases dynamite, and sundries.

Normanby (s.), for Hongkong, Thursday Island, &c.: 10 cases geneva, 5 cases whisky, 5 cases brandy, 1 case coffee, 6 packages tobacco, 75 bags fungus, 16 cases butter, 10 bags bread, 161 bags flour, 39 cases potatoes, 8 cases onions, 22 casks beef, 9 cases meats, 6 packages vegetables, 1 box pipes, 100 bags coal, 8 anchors, 3 lengths chain, 3 bundles ovens and covers, 2 packages galvanised iron, 1 case diving gear, 3 bundles sails, 4 packages drapery, 3 cases milk, 1 bale canvas, 15 packages P. S. cases, 2 hawse pipes, 17 cases biscuits, 2 casks shot, 10 packages beer, 4 cases sardines, 3 boxes candles, 6 cases kerosene, 2 cases salmon, 2 cases pickles, 2 cases jam, 93 boards, 22 pieces timber, and sundries.

The brig, Miss Kilmansegg, bound south, passed the port yesterday.

The Monaro (s.) left Merimbula on the 4th instant at 10 a.m., calling at Eden, Tathra, and Wollongong; arrived at Sydney on the 5th instant at 11.15 a.m. She experienced strong southerly winds with easterly swell to Jervis Bay, northerly and N.W. winds with hazy weather the remainder of passage. Cargo: 4 horses, 10 hides, 120 kegs butter, 14 bags bacon, 600 cheeses, 10 bags cattle food, 2 bales wool, 2 buggies, 2 cases honey, 4 bales skins, 4 rolls leather, 1 cask tallow.

The Agnes Irving (s.) left the Macleay at 1.10 p.m. on Friday, the 4th instant, arrived in Sydney on Saturday, at noon; had light variable wind to the Manning, and southerly the remainder of the passage. Cargo: 700 bags maize, 27 cases eggs, 10 coops poultry, 17 hides, 4 bags bacon, and sundries.

The s. s. Ly-ee-Moon left Melbourne on Thursday, at 2.45 p.m., cleared the Heads at 5.30 p.m. same day; 4th instant, passed Wilson's Promontory at 1.50 a.m., and rounded Gabo Island at 4.40 p.m.; 5th instant, passed Cape St. George at 5 a.m., and entered Sydney Heads at 0.30 p.m. Experienced fresh northerly winds to Wilson's Promontory, and moderate S.W. to Gabo Island, and light variable until arrival.

The Lubra (s.) crossed the Clarence bar at 6 p.m. on the 3rd, passed Smoky Cape at 5.30 a.m. on the 4th, and entered Sydney Heads at 3 p.m. on the 5th. Experienced light N.E. winds to Seal Rocks, then strong southerly winds. Cargo: 2400 bags maize, 5 casks tallow, 76 bags flour, 159 hides, 1 coop fowls, 11 pigs, 37 bunches bananas.

The Beagle (s.), Captain Hersee, cleared the Manning bar on the 5th instant at 4 p.m. and entered Sydney Heads at 1.30 p.m. on Sunday, having experienced light northerly wind and fine weather throughout the passage. Cargo: 700 bags maize, 81 bags lime, 200 pigs, 8 coops poultry, 14 hides, 16 cases eggs, 3 bags horns, 2 ploughs, and sundries.

The Diamantina (s.), Captain Herron, crossed the Manning bar at 4 p.m. on October 5, and arrived in Sydney at 11 a.m. on the 6th. Experienced light east and north-easterly weather throughout the passage. Her cargo consists of 800 bags maize, 70 bags oysters, 10 bags bacon, 20 hides, 60 cases eggs, 12 coops fowls, 70 pigs, and 30 packages sundries.

The steamships Garonne and City of Melbourne sailed on Saturday afternoon, for Melbourne.

The barque Java, from Newcastle to Singapore, reached this port yesterday, with foremast badly sprung, foretopmast gone by the cap, and maintopgallantmast carried away. The accident occurred on the 28th ultimo during a violent gale from the southward.

The Water Witch, schooner, left Maryborough on Thursday, the 26th September; crossed Wide Bay bar on Monday, the 30th; and arrived in Sydney on Sunday, the 6th October. Experienced light variable winds and fine weather as far as Port Stephens; there met a heavy southerly burster; took shelter there on Friday night, left again on Sunday morning, and arrived in Sydney same night.

The James Paterson (s.) left Rockhampton on Wednesday, October 2, at 1 p.m.; rounded Breaksea Spit on the 3rd, at 0.15 p.m.; and arrived in Sydney on Sunday, 6th, at 4 p.m. She experienced moderate north and easterly winds to the Solitaries, thence to Smoky Cape southerly gale and high sea, and thence to port northerly winds and fine weather.

The Balclutha (s.) left Maryborough on Tuesday, the 1st instant, at 8 a.m., crossed Wide Bay Bar at 2 p.m., and arrived at the A. S. N. Co. wharf, Brisbane, at 7 a.m. on the 2nd. Left again at noon on the 3rd; cleared Moreton Bay at 5.30 p.m. with the Broomswing (s.) in tow; passed Smoky Cape at 3.15 p.m. on the 4th, and entered Sydney Heads at 7 p.m. on the 5th, and berthed alongside the A. S. N. Co.'s new wharf at 8 p.m. Experienced fresh S.E. wind to Brisbane, thence light northerly winds and calms up to 8 p.m. on the 4th, then a strong southerly wind, with fine weather, throughout the passage. Passed the Victoria (s.) at 5 a.m on the 5th off Charlotte Head, and the Clarence (s.) at 5.40 a.m., off Treachery Head; also, the Bonnie Dundee (s.) off the Edith Breaker, at 6 a.m., all bound north.

The City of Grafton (s.), Captain F. Bracegirdle, left Grafton at 8 a.m., October 5th, crossing the bar at 4.40 p.m. same day, and entered Sydney Heads at 8.30 p.m., 6th instant. She experienced fresh S.E. breezes with head sea to Smoky Cape, and fresh N.E. breezes the rest of the passage; hazy weather throughout. Her cargo consists of 614 bags maize, 1014 mats sugar, 188 bags tin ore, 151 ingots tin, 11 bales wool 40 casks molasses, 32 cases eggs, 12 coops fowls, 500 bunches bananas, 64 bags oysters, 49 packages and 2 parcels gold, 1 buggy, and sundries.

The mission shooner Dayspring, sailed from Aneityum, September 18, at 5 p.m., with strong N.E. wind up to the 20th; then fine weather to the 25th, when a hard gale of wind from N.W. set in, latitude 30·42 S., longitude 160·35 E.; 26th, sighted Lord Howe's Island, with thick foggy weather; 27th, heavy thunder and lightning with thick weather, 5 a.m. a heavy squall, 7.45 a.m. another thunder squall struck the vessel, laying her on her beam ends until lower topsail and storm middle staysail blew out of the bolt ropes; 10 a.m., wind veered to the S.W.; noon, gale blowing with hurricane force; 28th p.m., secured every thing, hatches, companions, skylights, had all hands aft in the cabin; 1.30 p.m., a heavy sea struck the vessel, filling galley, deck house, and washing away starboard boat and davidts, pig pen, hen coops, and every movable thing on deck; 6.30 p.m., another sea struck the port boat, bending davidts quite straight, latitude 31·30 S., longtitude 157·40 E.; a.m., gale still blowing with the same force up to noon, barometer, 29·60. 29th, p.m., gale monerating a little; midnight, gale decreasing, with heavy rain squalls. Since, light variable winds and fine weather up to the 4th, a heavy southerly squall which lasted six hours; arrived in harbour at 6 p.m. on the 5th.

The fine ship Blengfell, from Liverpool, arrived on Saturday, having left that port on the 6th July; passed Madeira on the 16th, had good N.E. trades, but lost them in about 11° N.; had the usual weather in the variables, and crossed the Equator on the 4th of August in about 25° W.; had strong S.E. trades, and lost the easterly weather in 28° S.; passed the meridian of the Cape on the 29th of August in 40° S., and from that point had a continuation of roving unsettled weather, wind going twice round by the eastward; passed the meridian of Cape Leuwin on the 21st of September, and the S.W. Cape of Tasmania on the 28th September, wind hauling northerly, and has continued more or less from the north until the 4th instant, when a strong southerly wind prevailed for a few hours, and at noon on Saturday was taken in tow about twelve miles of the South Head.

The Clyde Shipbuilding Trade.—There are signs that, unless great moderation and good sense are exercised (says the *Glasgow News*), the Clyde shipbuilding trade will again be paralyzed by a quarrel between the workmen and their employers. The latter, it is said, have come to the conclusion that, owing to the continued depression of trade, the existing arrangements as to wages and hours of working cannot be adhered to, and it is added that the employers incline towards the expedient of increasing the number of working hours. This rumour—for as yet it is nothing more—having got abroad has called forth from the Interim Committee of the Organised Trades a kind of manifesto, in which they declare that "disturbing elements are already at work, and must be met by prompt action." In short, this manifesto directly incites the workmen to strike rather than submit to the 54 hours' week.

[By Electric Telegraph.]

Melbourne.—Arrivals: October 4, Macduff, Superb, from London; Adela (s.), from Newcastle; Amora, from Sourabaya. Departures: October 4, Cheviot (s.), for Sydney; Assam (s.), for Galle.

Newcastle.—Arrivals: October 5, Sea Gull, from Adelaide; Stracabro, from Dunedin; Lismore, Tidal Wave, from Richmond River; Escort, Vibilia, Industry, Lady Emma, from Sydney; Turtle, Juno, from Lake Macquarie. Departures: Kerangie (s.), Queen Emma, for Melbourne.

SYDNEY HEADS.

Date.	Time.	Wind.	Remarks.
October 5.	8.30 a.m.	W.	Fine.
	Noon.	N.E.	Ditto.
	5 p.m.	N.E.	Ditto.
October 6.	8.30 a.m.	W.	Fine.
	Noon.	N.E.	Ditto.
	5 p.m.	N.E.	Ditto.

High water at Fort Denison, October 7, 4.50 a.m., 5.28 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.—October 5.

South Australia: Generally fine and clear, with north-easterly winds, barometers falling; Victoria: Weather very fine, light variable wind, barometers falling a little; New South Wales: Fine throughout, barometers rose very rapidly last night, and this morning began to fall again; Queensland, Brisbane: Fine, clear; Cape Moreton, sultry and overcast, wind N., 3, sea smooth. 3 p.m. Observations—Victoria: Very fine weather, barometers falling a little, wind E., 8; Wilson's Promontory: W.N.W 13, cloudy, hazy, sea smooth. New South Wales: Wentworth, N.E., 14, fine, clear; Albury: calm, fine; Forbes, calm, fine; Goulburn, N.E., fine; Eden, NE. 14, fine, sea smooth; Cape George, N.E., 10, fine, sea smooth; Sydney, very fine but hazy, barometer falling, wind E., 14, sea smooth; Newcastle, E.S.E., fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, S., 30, cloudy, sea smooth; Clarence River, S., 40, sea smooth.

Astronomical Memoranda for October 7.—Sun rises at 5.31, sets at 6.6; moon rises at 2.44 p.m., sets at 3.4 a.m.; Mercury, 5.11 a.m., 5.1 p.m.; Venus, 5.2 a.m., 4.50 p.m.; Mars, 5.21 a.m., 5.29 p.m.; Jupiter, 12.0 p.m., 2.0 a.m.; Saturn, 4.47 p.m., 5.1 a.m. Full moon, 11th; new moon 26th.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Saturday Evening.

The Customs duties received to-day were as follows:

	£	s.	d.
Spirits	328	3	10
Wine (still)	28	14	0
Ale, porter, and beer (in wood)	93	15	0
——— (in bottle)	2	17	0
Cigars	12	6	2
Sugar (unrefined)	85	4	8
Rice	69	4	2
Dried fruits	6	0	10
Specific duty	123	10	11
Rent on goods in Queen's warehouse	78	15	8
Pilotage	41	2	8
Harbour and light dues	10	16	0
	£835	10	11

The value of the Imports at the port of Sydney for the week ended the 28th September amounted to £363,315, of which the principal items are:—

Apparel and drapery, £154,544; beer, £1998; brandy, £3965; beche-de-mer, £2000; boots and shoes, £7236; candles, £2206; flour, £1664; gold, £34,478; gin, £910; hardware, £1422; malt, £3521; oilmen's stores, £14,512; pearl shell, £1315; rum, £762; sugar, £4710; silks, £2736; skins and hides, £1781; tallow, £400; tobacco and cigars, £1860; tobacco leaf, £8253; tin ore, £737; wine, £1744; whisky, £449; wheat, £1120; wool, £715.

The value of Exports for the same period amounted to £128,670, of which the principal items are:—

Gold coin, £50,360; drapery, £17,217; sugar, £5560; fruit (green, £5104; dried, £289), £5393; copra, £4080; live stock, £3657; maize, £3055; tin, £3200; coal, £3014; wool, £2135; leather, £2404; machinery, £1922; hides, £1910; brandy, £1578; hardware, £1553; fancy goods, £1480; boots and shoes, £1445; books and stationery, £1214; jewellery, £1070; kerosene shale, £1057; tobacco, £971; tallow, £900; vegetables, £802; drugs, £741; earthenware, £638; tea, £615; furniture, £560; butter, £558; minerals, £548.

The following table shows the declared value of imports and exports entered at the Sydney Customs from January 1 to September 28, in 1877 and 1878:—

Jan. 1 to		1877. Imports.	1877. Exports.	1878. Imports.	1878. Exports.
Jan.	5	£244,434	£111,624	£272,209	£148,127
"	12	222,169	194,732	198,379	345,816
"	19	194,142	345,649	282,992	223,106
"	26	197,244	245,101	406,002	183,109
Feb.	2	235,840	332,448	193,245	184,100
"	9	246,646	135,393	86,560	158,152
"	16	242,389	228,500	131,754	198,032
"	23	202,388	207,069	343,171	268,446
March	2	361,468	143,472	198,154	165,743
"	9	171,127	257,953	384,034	125,828
"	16	121,480	390,748	282,494	214,839
"	23	140,166	149,358	167,496	145,803
"	30	41,677	63,865	176,992	176,220
April	6	347,168	90,203	369,704	164,563
"	13	257,817	281,870	171,639	491,552
"	20	299,571	112,788	128,258	134,900
"	27	136,070	85,355	133,290	90,841
May	4	126,690	192,184	369,380	88,463
"	11	119,928	351,081	310,409	203,529
"	18	302,524	146,672	241,396	134,962
"	25	205,676	88,859	173,007	103,529
June	1	228,816	136,576	105,465	90,758
"	8	227,018	199,240	324,473	65,669
"	15	445,969	106,080	81,308	213,309
"	22	199,046	58,962	267,023	79,800
"	29	223,873	119,801	348,376	106,764
July	6	262,498	340,329	169,238	288,300
"	13	329,797	159,734	206,697	88,493
"	20	249,967	91,308	161,674	243,560
"	27	376,953	115,429	154,215	67,115
August	3	227,593	101,306	332,111	159,101
"	10	214,068	90,455	268,923	106,292
"	17	293,094	111,123	182,813	121,905
"	24	196,930	131,765	407,185	59,639
"	31	194,187	450,900	168,069	120,345
Sept.	7	239,738	68,301	256,698	83,270
"	14	313,465	66,116	395,656	57,618
"	21	293,655	109,396	343,052	119,096
"	28	178,635	91,782	363,315	128,670
		£9,237,369	£6,674,428	£9,445,806	£6,157,901

De Beer's monthly shipping and freight report of the 3rd instant has the following:—

"The prostration in freighting matters which characterised our market at date of our last circular of the 2nd September continues, and has not been relieved by the number of vessels on the home loading berth, competing for the new wool clip, which is now steadily coming in, and this has tended further to weaken rates. The clearances for London during the mail month just elapsed are embraced in the following:—Somersetshire, s.s., 1593; Lusitania, s.s., 2425; Loch Katrine, 1199; and True Briton, 1046; and our home loading berth is now occupied by the following 17 vessels, with an aggregate of 25,741 tons register:—Carlisle Castle, 1458; Melbourne, 1857; Old Kensington, 1776; Pleione, 1092; Loch Maree, 1581; Ben Voirlich, 1474; Auriga, 1578; Romanoff, 1028; Aristides, 1660; Mermerus, 1671; Loch Garry, 1492; Hampshire, 1064; Sir Walter Raleigh, 1492; Miltiades, 1452; Moravian, 966; Durham, s.s., 1638—all loading here; and steamer Garonne, 2484, loading partially at Sydney, and filling up here and at Adelaide; whilst the Allanshaw, 1589, Aviemore, 1092, Ben Cruachan, 1468, Jerusalem, 901, and Slievemore, 1667, are loading at Geelong, and the City of Agra, 1074, is loading at Portland; these supplementing the above tonnage by 7792 tons, and making a total of 33,532 tons register, equal to a capacity of about 170,000 bales of wool. Rates for London have declined, but we are pleased to note that the smaller fractions of a penny are now being adopted, lessening the decline in some respects, which is even now a serious falling off on previous quotations; they are as follow:—Per sailing vessel—Wool, 7-16d. and 9-16d. per lb. for greasy and scoured respectively; tallow, 40s.; leather, 45s. to 40s.; skins, 50s. to 55s.; bark (ground) 40s. to 45s.; tin, copper, and ores, minerals, 2s. 6d., all per ton of 20 cwt.; and preserved meats, 35s. per ton of 40 cubic feet; whilst the rates per steamers are—wool, ½d. and ¾d. per lb. for greasy and scoured respectively; leather, 80s.; and skins, 80s., all per ton of 20 cwt.; and preserved meats, 50s. per ton of 40 cubic feet. The arrivals during the month have been numerous, but comprise vessels destined mostly for the home loading berth. For India—The Norwegian barque Haab, 865, and British ship Argonaut, 1488, have both left for Calcutta with 141 and 245 horses respectively, whilst the colonial-owned barque Rollo, 902, and British ships Eastcroft, 1312, and Parthenope, 1563, are loading live stock for Madras; and there are inquiries for two vessels more for similar destination and employment, which will complete this season's requirements. For Mauritius, the colonial-owned barque Georgina, 315, has left with a full cargo of bone manure, &c. The engagements effected during the last mail month have been limited, and are as follows:—British ship Parthenope, 1563, hence to Madras with horses, at £1000 sterling, lump sum, shipper finding all requirements for live stock; British ship Eastcroft, 1312; and colonial-owned barque Rollo, 902; for similar employment and destination at 100 rupees per head landed alive, ships finding fittings and water for live stock; colonial-owned barque Georgia, 315; hence to Mauritius on private terms; British barque Souvenir, 482; hence to Albany, King George's Sound, W.A., with coal, £300 sterling, and then to load at Bundury, Geographe Bay, W.A., with jarrah timber for Adelaide, S.A., at 42s. 6d. per load of 50 cubic feet; American barque George Treat, 639, to load at Lacepede Islands, North-West Australia, to the Channel for orders, at 55s. General freighting business is at a standstill, and the Eastern markets having been generally overstocked with coal, the quotations of rates from Newcastle, N.S.W., are very depressed and nominal.

MINING MANAGER'S REPORT.

Star of Peace G. M. Co.—Mining manager reports on 4th instant:—"Banked 400 oz. specimens from 260-feet level."

THE MAILS.

The mails will close at the General Post Office as follows:—

For Melbourne.—Overland, daily, at 6 p.m.

For Adelaide.—Overland, via Melbourne, daily, at 6 p.m.

For Hobart Town and Launceston.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, daily, at 6 p.m.

For Callao.—By the Colombo, this day, at noon.

For Brisbane and all Northern Ports.—By the Egmont (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.

For Gosford.—By the Pelican (s.), this day, at 5.30 p.m.

For Macleay River and Port Macquarie.—By the Ballina (s.), this day, at 9 p.m.

For Wellington and all Southern Ports of New Zealand.—By the Wakatipu (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.

For Melbourne.—By the Macedon (s.), on Tuesday, at noon; and by the Ly-ee-Moon (s.), on Tuesday, at 3.30 p.m.

For Grafton.—By the City of Grafton (s.), on Tuesday, at 8 p.m.

For Merimbula and Eden.—By the Monaro (s.), on Wednesday, at 8.15 a.m.

For Maryborough.—By the Balclutha (s.), on Wednesday, at 3.30 p.m.

For Rockhampton.—By the James Paterson (s.), on Wednesday, at 3.30 p.m.

For Western Australia.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, on Wednesday at 6 p.m.

ROYAL MAIL NOTICE.—VIA AUCKLAND, HONOLULU, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

The mails by the R. M. S. Zealandia will close at the General Post Office, on Thursday, the 10th October, as follows:—

Registered letters at noon.
Unregistered letters at 1 p.m.
Newspapers, books, and packets, at noon.

The rates of postage upon letters to Honolulu, United States of America, and the United Kingdom are 6d. per ½-oz.

Full information as to the rates of postage to all places can be ascertained at the Inquiry Office, General Post Office, and at the various suburban and country offices.

LATE LETTERS.

Letters for the United Kingdom only will be received up to 2 p.m. on payment of a fee of 6d.

IRON RECEIVERS.

Letters may be posted in the iron pillar letter receivers up to noon; newspapers may be posted in the newspaper receivers up to 10 a.m. on the 10th October.

All letters, &c., not otherwise marked will be forwarded by the Zealandia.

General Post Office, Sydney, 4th October, 1878.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[Richard Gibson and Co.]

October 2.

Fat Cattle.—About 1600 head came forward, the quality on the whole was much better than was anticipated, and proved more than equal to the demand, the consequence being a most unsatisfactory market for the sellers, prices showed a decline on last week's quotations of about 20s per head on primest cattle, other sorts ruled proportionately lower. We sold 105 bullocks of the favourite FF brand, for Messrs. Robertson, Brothers, Colac; 40 cows and bullocks, for Messrs. Peppin and Sons, Boonoke and Wanganella, which were much admired for their breeding and extraordinary good butchers' quality; also small drafts for Messrs. Peppin and Webber, and Mr. T. H. Bear.

Fat Calves.—45 yarded, which proved insufficient for trade requirements, all qualities sold well, best making up to 70s.

Fat Sheep.—12,045 forward, the bulk of which were good, with a few lots of really prime merino clips amongst them. Sales were brisk at fully last week's values, and in some instances an advance of about 6d per head was noticeable. We quote best shorn merino wethers, 56 to 60 lbs., 8s to 9s; seconds, 7s to 7s 9d; others, 5s up; ditto ewes, 7s down to 4s. Best-woolled merino wethers, 13s to 14s (a few extra up to 16s); seconds, 11s to 12s; others, 8s up; best-woolled merino ewes, 10s to 11s (extra, 12s); seconds, 8s to 9s; others, 6s up. Quotations for crossbreds very low. We sold 2326 wethers for Mr. W. R. Virgoe, from Mathoura Station; 361 wethers for Messrs. Landale, Brothers, Deniliquin; 538 ewes for Messrs. Simmie and Craig, Cornella Creek Station; 411 wethers for Messrs. M'Intyre, Brothers, Braybrook; 119 ewes for Mr. L. Trewin, Wharparilla; 74 ewes for Mr. B. W. Doyle, Quamby; 23 ewes and wethers for Messrs. T. and J. Pickens, Brothers, Wharparella; and a small draft for Mr. W. S. Balding, Oakdean—prices ranging up to 14s for woolled merino wethers, to 9s for shorn merino wethers, to 12s for woolled merino ewes, and to 6s 6d for shorn merino ewes.

Fat Lambs.—A full supply yarded, consisting chiefly of good and prime qualities. Sales were dull, and prices declined fully 1s per head. We quote best in 9s to 10s (extra prime and heavy, 11s); seconds, 7s to 8s; others, 5s up. We sold 284 for Mr. B. W. Doyle, Quamby, at 11s, the highest price of the market; 80 for Messrs. Mountjoy, Brothers, Wharparella; 74 for Mr. J. M'Kenzie, St. Germains; 36 for Mr. W. S. Balding, Oakdean; and small drafts for Messrs. T. and J. Pickens, Brothers, Franklin Farm, and Mr. L. Trewin, Wharparella.

[Ryan and Hammond.]

October 2.

Fat Cattle.—1626 was the week's supply, consisting of lots from Riverina, Western District, and Gipps Land, over the usual portion being good, useful, to prime quality. The market opened quiet, at considerably under last week's rates, and on the whole prices declined equal to 15s to 20s per head. We quote—Good and prime bullocks from £9 to £10 15s: second quality and middling, £8 10s to £8; inferior, £4 10s to £5 10s; good and prime cows, £7 to £8 10s; second quality, £4 to £5 5s; inferior, from £3. We have sold 160 cows and bullocks for Mr. John Jackson, Bones, Riverina; and 20 cows for Messrs. Dight Brothers, Albury, from £6 10s to £8 2s 6d.

Fat Calves.—Only 45 were yarded, and for best quality the demand was brisk, at an advance of last week's rates. Best quality, 60s to 70s; second quality and middling, 35s to 45s; inferior, 10s to 20s. We sold—22 calves for Messrs Dight, Brothers, Albury, 44s to 70s; and 7 for Mr. John Jackson, Bones, to 62s 6d.

Fat Sheep.—12,045 formed the week's supply, the bulk of which were of good, useful to prime quality, and included several lots of shorn sheep. The market was unchanged, prices, if anything, being slightly higher. Good and prime merino wethers made from 13s 6d to 14s 6d (a few 15s 6d); second quality and middling, from 11s to 12s; inferior, from 8s 6d to 10s; prime shorn wethers, from 8s to 9s; very few ewes in; the best made from 9s to 11s; others 6s (according to quality); one lot shorn, prime, 7s; but few crossbred wethers in, the best made 16s to 18s. We have sold a draft of merino wethers, from Riverina, at 14s.

Fat Lambs.—3068 forward. This number being in excess of requirements, prices ruled from 1s to 1s 6d lower. Good and prime made from 8s 6d to 10s; second quality and middling from 6s to 8s; inferior from 5s to 6d.

Store Cattle.—There is now a brisk demand for grown bullocks suitable for topping up. We sold through the yards, for Mr. John Jackson, Bones station, 230 cows and bullocks.

Store Sheep.—There is a good demand for store sheep, delivery after shearing. We have also inquiries for wethers in the wool. We have sold 3000 wethers, on the Avoca.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, Vehicles, Harness, &c.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Sheep and Cattle.

G. M. PITT and SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

W. FULLAGAR and SON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

J. BRIDGE.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Wethers.

W. INGLIS.—At Railway at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 11, Maize, Oats, Potatoes, &c.; at Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.

HALL, PRINCE, and CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.

GARLING and FRASER.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, and other Produce.

WELLS and SMITH.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 10, Wood; at Newtown Station, at 3, Wood.

SAYERS and CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, &c.; at 12, Wood.

ELLIS and CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 10, Wood.

STRACHAN and CO.—On the Premises of Mr. A. Hordern, Plant, Cement, Vehicles, Furniture, &c.

A. MOORE and CO.—At the Mart, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects.

H. L. DUNN.—At his Rooms, at 11, Unredeemed Pledges.

A. ALLAN.—At 336, Crown-street, at 11, Household Furniture, &c.

R. J. HUGHES and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture, &c.

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.—At Parbury's Wharf, at 3, Slates.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB.—At their Rooms, at 11, Japanese Curios, &c.

M. MOLONY.—At his Rooms, at 11, Boots and Shoes.

C. A. SCRIVENER.—At Liverpool, at 11, Cottages and Land.

HARDIE and GORMAN.—At Westgate Cottage, Waverley Road, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects.

THE SHERIFF.—On the Premises, Crystal-street, Petersham, at noon. Drapery, Crockery, Toys, Furniture, &c.

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EXCURSION UP THE HAWKESBURY TO NEAR WINDSOR.

An EXCURSION to view the magnificent scenery of the Hawkesbury River, and to proceed within a short distance of Windsor, has been arranged to leave Sydney on WEDNESDAY MORNING next, the 9th, weather permitting. The fast and powerful steamer PELICAN will leave at 7 a.m., and as she has lately been overhauled, and refitted both in hull and machinery, a quick and pleasant run may be anticipated. Arrangements will be made with a first-class caterer to supply provisions on board at moderate rates. There is also excellent accommodation for ladies, one-half of the steamer being covered in, and so fitted that, if desired, ladies could sleep on board. A limited number of passengers only will be taken, and intending excursionists must register their names before MONDAY EVENING. Tickets—price 20s single, and 25s return, children under 14, half price—may be obtained of WILLIAM MADDOCK, 383, George-street.

LANE COVE, GORDON.

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SUNDAY OMNIBUS leaves Milson's Point 10.20, 1.20, 5.20. Fare—To Wilson's Orangery, 6d; beyond Wilson's, 1s.

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NOTICE.

This Bank is prepared to make SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS for DEPOSITS lodged for fixed periods, and to transact all other Banking business, on terms to be ascertained on application.

EDWARD B. HOLT, Manager.

Sydney, 9th September, 1878.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.—This Company, having increased their working limits, are prepared to grant insurance upon any Approved Risk to the extent of £10,000. In consequence of the above arragement the Company are now willing to accept further amounts upon the various Bonded Stores in Sydney at the lowest current rates. A. STANGER LEATHES, Resident Secretary, Pitt-street.

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MARRICKVILLE.—Dr. ALEXANDER PATERSON, Hill Crest, Stanmore Road, opposite the Wesleyan Chapel.

MR. GUSTAVUS GABRIEL, DENTIST, CONSULTS DAILY. 6, Carlton-terrace, Wynyard-square. Caution—Not connected with any other person.

OUR OFFICE will be CLOSED THIS DAY. B. RITTENBERG and CO, 85, York-street.

ALBERT CRICKET GROUND COMPANY.—ALL ACCOUNTS against the above Company (about to be dissolved) MUST BE RENDERED to the undersigned for settlement on or before the 31st OCTOBER instant.

MELHADO and CURTIS, Stock and Share Brokers, Pitt-street, Sydney.

4th October, 1878.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

We beg to inform our advertising friends that, to secure insertion and proper classification in Saturday's paper, it is necessary that their advertisements should reach this office not later than 9 o'clock on Friday night.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

In consequence of complaints as to the late delivery of the Herald, we have to inform our readers that, as the publication commences before 5 o'clock, there is no reason why the paper should not be delivered in Sydney and the suburbs by 7 every morning.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Attention to the following rules will save the writers of correspondence a good deal of trouble. We cannot undertake to return rejected communications. No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion in this journal must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1878.

The Charity Commission, whose labours have been too largely barren, recommended the adoption in this colony of what is known as the Boarding-out System for destitute children, and the Inspector of Charities has in his official report coincided with that recommendation. At present, however, no Government has ventured on the experiment. The system is in full operation in South Australia, and the sixth annual report of the Boarding-out Society has just reached us. This society, which is managed by a committee of ladies, co-operates with the Government Destitute Board, and the amount of work it does for a very small outlay is a remarkable illustration of well-directed benevolent effort.

Even in South Australia, where agricultural settlement has been so successful, there has been some little difficulty in finding suitable homes for social waifs and strays as soon as they fell into the hands of the Government. At one time there were in the Government Asylum at Magill as many as 145 children; but the number has been brought down to 111, and these are mostly very young. There are 292 children under the age of sixteen placed out in homes, and these are either adopted, boarded out, or licensed for service. Of this number 177 are under the direct supervision of ladies and gentlemen connected with the society. The others, who are too remote for the committee to see to, are either visited by the chairman of the Destitute Board, or by his authorised substitute. Those who visit the children send in their reports, and of such reports the committee has received 530 during the year, the visits having been nearly at the rate of three per child. Of these reports 452 are classified as good, 48 tolerable, 24 bad, and 6 imperfect. The number of bad cases is very small compared with the total, and speaks well of the care exercised in selection, as well as for the kindly disposition of those who take charge of the children. The badness it is explained refers mostly to the behaviour of the children, to their indifferent health, or to their irregular attendance at church or school, and only to a very small extent to the unkindness or badness of the home. In order to encourage the system, the Government makes an allowance at the rate of five shillings per week; but out of the 175 children to whom these reports refer, the subsidy was only payable in respect of 18, for 80 were licensed for service, having reached the age of thirteen, and 97 had been adopted without subsidy, or until they should reach the age of thirteen. Where the remuneration is a matter of consideration five shillings a week is not found to be enough in the case of young children, and the committee has pressed on the Government the expediency of increasing the amount; but as this is fixed by Act of Parliament an amending Act will be required to alter it. Of the wages allowed to the children in service one-fourth part is given them as pocket money, their necessary expenses being provided for; the balance is put into the Savings' Bank to their credit.

The report before us expresses regret at the timidity shown in New South Wales in even attempting a trial of the system, and it makes a comparison of the cost and number of the children of the State in the two colonies. In South Australia, with a population not more than a third that of New South Wales, the cost of maintaining 409 children of the State is only £3318 0s. 1d., because, under the system adopted, the greater part of the children cost the State nothing. In our own colony, the 1323 children in the various industrial schools and reformatories cost the Government £25,826 2s. 8d., that is to say, our expenditure is per head considerably more than double that of South Australia. In Victoria, where the boarding-out system is partially carried out side by side with the Government asylum system, an economical comparison of the two plans can be made within the colony itself. For while 1204 children in the Victorian public institutions cost the Government £32,847 15s. 4d., the larger number of 2000 children boarded out, or licensed for service under the supervision of the Ladies' Committee, cost the smaller sum of £17,136 12s. 5d. Here therefore there seems to be abundant proof that the boarding-out system is not costly—at least not costly in money; for it certainly does require a large amount of personal effort and vigilance on the part of those who superintend the details of the system.

If the economy of the system is to be held proved, there is no need to discuss its social advantages. Everyone knows the benefits of family life where the parents are respectably conducted, and it must be every way better that children should grow up under its influence than that they should be unnaturally aggregated into large establishments. Is there then any sufficient reason why the system should not be experimented on in New South Wales? Let us grant that the absence of a farming population within easy reach of the town may cause some little difficulty. Still, now that our railways have reached the great agricultural centres, this difficulty need not be regarded as insuperable. Sub-committees might be formed in the larger inland towns, and a sufficient number of families might be found within range of practicable inspection. Where there is a will there is a way, and what is wanting, to give the system a fair start, is not so much the way as the will.

The other day we published the official abstract of the public accounts of the colony of Fiji for the first half of the present year. The figures giving the actual income and expenditure for the first part of 1878 do not look quite so hopeful as some of those which gave the probable income and expenditure. The estimated revenue for 1878, as given by the Fiji Legislative Council, was £60,000, or about £3000 more than that for 1877; the actual revenue for the first six months of the year is given as £21,729 19s. 7d., or at the rate of about £43,000 for the year. This, in the event of the second half of the year being no better than the first, would make an income for the year of nearly £17,000 less than the estimate. The Legislative Council's estimated expenditure for the present year was £57,000, or £3000 less than the estimated income. The actual expenditure for the first half of the year was £31,645 18s. 3d., or at the rate of a little more than £60,000 for the year. It is possible, indeed it is more than likely, that the income for the second half of the year will be in excess of that for the first half. Should this fail to be the case, the young colony will again stand in need of a considerable grant from the Home Government. The grant for the year 1877 was £30,000, a sum the voting of which drew murmurs of dissatisfaction from some of the cheese-paring politicians of the House of Commons. But with the present enthusiasm about national as distinct from Home interests, a sufficient majority will be found in the Imperial Parliament to undertake the nursing of the young colony for years to come.

The principal thing to be noted in the statement of revenue and expenditure from which we have quoted, is the deficiency in the actual income for the half-year as compared with the estimate. This deficiency, although not necessarily a serious one, is sufficient to show that in several important items Fijian affairs do not prosper so fast as the politicians of the colony have anticipated. The largest deficiency is recorded under the head of "Native taxes." The estimate for the present year under this branch of revenue was £20,000, that for the half-year being £10,000. The actual revenue for the first half of the year was £2949, the sum of £7050 below the estimate. The amount received under the head of Native Taxes during the first half of 1877 was £1557 8s. 9d.; for the first half of 1876 the amount was £3280 14s. 1d. Thus, whether the Government finds it difficult to collect the taxes from the natives, or whether the natives find it difficult to pay them, it is clear that this important department of the revenue is not flourishing very remarkably. The amount given under the head of "Repayment of Expenses attending the Introduction of Immigrant Labourers" is a noteworthy one in this connection. The estimate for the year under this head was a little under £10,000; the actual revenue for the half-year was £3517 16s. 6d. Under the head of "Land Sales, Survey Fees, &c.," the actual revenue for the half-year fell very considerably below the estimate. The estimate for the half-year under this head of revenue was £2250, the actual revenue being £951 18s. 5d., — £1298 1s. 7d. below the estimate. These figures are sufficient to show that Fiji is offering less attraction to foreigners or to speculators in the colony than was expected.

The chief items in which the actual revenue for the half-year exceeds the estimate are Customs Dues, and General Licenses. The amount received as Customs Dues for the first half of the year was £8817 6s. 9d.; the estimate for the year being £17,000. A sum of £6 10s. 11d. given in the statement of expenditure under the head of Education, leads to the conclusion that an Education Department does not yet form one of the provisions of the young colony. Whether the missionaries supply a sufficient number of schools for all the wants of the community or whether the Legislature has too much on hand to commence any serious undertaking in this line does not appear, but the absence of any real educational expenditure from such a statement as that of a colony like Fiji is at least a noteworthy circumstance. The sum of £12,077 12s. 2d. for the half-year under the head of Establishments again suggests the question whether the setting up of expensive governments in small colonies like Fiji is not a mistake. Not far from one-half of the total expenditure of the colony is absorbed in what are called Establishments. At the same time although the colony of Fiji may not in some respects be advancing as fast as some enthusiasts predicted, its progress is sufficiently sure to justify the responsibilities incurred in regard to it. The only thing to be feared is that the checks which the young settlement has received may cause the authorities at home to delay the undertaking of other responsibilities in Polynesia longer than may be found desirable.

The Lunacy Bill now before Parliament will be, in many respects, a great improvement on the existing law, and it is remarkable that a measure that has been waiting so long should at last be likely to get through so quickly. There is, however, one point which, though partly discussed, deserves still some further consideration, and that is, the guarantees against the improper deprivation of personal liberty. In the case of criminals, the law provides every security; and there should not be less security in the case of those who are, or who are supposed to be the victims of misfortune. To relieve suspected lunatics from the risk of being examined in open Court is a great improvement. Such exposure is not necessary for the ends of justice, and it is likely to be very injurious to excitable patients. But there ought to be publicity at some stage of the proceedings before any person is immured. Relatives are not always considerate or humane, and it is necessary to have adequate protection against any attempt to smuggle a person into a lunatic asylum. Publicity is the best of all checks against improper conduct of this kind, and therefore the transfer of any free person to confinement ought to have publicity given to it at some stage of the proceedings. Where convenient it would be well that the first application to the justice should be made in open Court; or where this is not practicable, the medical report and the adjudication should be given in open Court. If there is any valid objection to this it might be necessary that the names should be published in the *Government Gazette*. No doubt it is disagreeable to many parties concerned

to have any publicity attached to transactions of this kind. But we have to consider rights as well as feelings, and after the experience of the past it does not seem consistent with the respect due to personal liberty that any one should be hauled off to an asylum simply in virtue of private conferences between justices and doctors. No doubt justices are supposed to be trustworthy persons, and responsible for their conduct; but it has been recently ruled that justices may not in a private room strike persons' names off the jury list, although the Act itself would have been proper enough if done in public. Is it less important that justices should be allowed to strike any one's name off the roll of free men? According to the eighth clause of the bill, a person may be confined without even the authority of a justice or of any responsible official.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

About 2 o'clock this morning we learnt that the Eastern Extension Company's cable-repairing steamer Osborne, which left Banjoewangie on Monday, September 30, had arrived at Port Darwin. She brings 97 messages. The latest London telegrams are dated September 28. Mr Jones, the electrician in charge, says that the own mail was to leave Sourabaya on the 5th October, but he had heard nothing about a dutch boat coming with messages from Banjoewangie. The telegraph authorities have made arrangements by which messages for Europe and the East can be forwarded to-day by steamer from Port Darwin to Banjoewangie. The steamship William Mackinnon will leave Port Darwin for Batavia this evening. Messages reaching Port Darwin by p.m. will be sent by her. Messages intended to be forwarded by this means should be lodged in the Sydney office not later than 2 p.m.

The Western Australia line of communication which was interrupted on Thursday evening, was restored to working order last evening and we have received a further portion of our telegraphic message from Albany of news brought by the R. M. S. Tanjore, from Galle. A part of our message came through on Thursday and was published on Friday. The Tanjore reached the Sound, as we have already announced, on Thursday morning last. She should therefore reach Glenelg some time to day, and Melbourne on Wednesday. The outward mail steamer Assam, which left Melbourne on Friday, reached Glenelg at 6 o'clock last evening, en route for Galle.

A meeting of the representatives of the different cricket clubs was held at Tattersall's Hotel, on Saturday evening, to take into consideration the advisability of testifying their sympathy with Mrs. Harvey, when the following resolution was carried: "That this meeting, having made inquiries as to the necessities of the mother of the late William Harvey, who lately lost his life through a blow from a cricket ball, is of opinion that a memorial be erected to his memory, and subscriptions are requested from cricket clubs for that purpose to be forwarded to Mr. Wm. Bayliss, Hamilton-street, Sydney. The following clubs were represented:—St. Philip's, Stanmore, Lassetter and Co., Alberts, Metropolitan, Fairfield, Tanners and Curriers, Australian, The Osborne, National, Paddington, Belmore.

A terrible accident occurred on board the steamship Garonne just as she was leaving Neutral Bay for London, on Saturday last. Steam had been got up when it was discovered that a discharge valve in one of the cylinders of the engines would not operate. John Calderwood, John Rutter, and William Clark, firemen, were sent down for the purpose of placing it in working order. While they were doing so the valve suddenly opened and allowed a huge volume of steam to envelope them. The result was that the men were severely scalded, and one of them has since been pronounced to be in rather a precarious condition. They were all brought ashore and conveyed to the Infirmary, where they now lie. The chief engineer of the Garonne was also injured, but not to such an extent as to necessitate his being brought to land. After the accident other men were shipped in the place of the injured, and the vessel proceeded on her way.

The North Shore Steam Ferry Company took charge of their new waiting rooms and offices at Circular Quay at mid-day on Saturday, and at once utilised them for their general purposes. They are comprised in a wooden structure near the Pier's stairs, and the work in connection with them was carried out by Mr. James Nelson. The building is 42 feet long, 16 feet wide, and 20 feet high, and Oregon pine and galvanized iron are the principal materials used in its construction. At the rear of the waiting rooms is a stage twenty feet long, and of suitable width, to which the company's steamers are to ply. It is partly roofed, and has seats on each side for the convenience of intending passengers. A plentiful supply of gas is laid on for lighting the place at night, and separate waiting apartments are provided for ladies and gentlemen. The structure is Gothic in design, and altogether a great improvement on the premises the company recently placed at the disposal of their patrons.

On Saturday night the Rev. Charles Chiniquy delivered a lecture in the Protestant Hall on "Rome and Liberty of Conscience." The fact that Mr. Chiniquy was at one time a priest of the Church of Rome, in Canada, seems to have invested his lectures with special interest, and though there was a charge for admission the audience on this occasion, as before, was a very large one, and took great interest in the proceedings.

The Inspector-General of Police received on Saturday a telegram from sub-inspector Duffy, of the Bourke station, to the effect that he was camped in company with constables Hatton and Gray and a hawker at Erigonia, and that about 1 p.m. on the 2nd instant the constables went to see if the horses were safe, when a man was seen riding into the scrub leading two packhorses. Upon being called on to stand he dashed into a lignum swamp. Constable Hatton fired; but as it was dark, his shot probably did not take effect. The police then recovered two thoroughbred horses and pack-saddles, Snider revolving rifle, £43 in money, and many other things. The man was doubtless the murderer of senior-sergeant Wallings. All hands were on the track at daylight next morning. In connection with the sad affair, we have been requested to call attention to an advertisement appearing elsewhere, soliciting subscriptions to a fund which it is intended to present to the widow and eight children of sergeant Wallings, to mark the public appreciation of the bravery and services of the deceased officer.

The usual fortnightly meeting of the Sydney Municipal Council will be held at the Town Hall to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. The business on the paper comprises eighteen notices of motion. Alderman Taylor is to move the rescision of the resolutions of Council, of date the 14th May, 1860, and 23rd July, 1872, fixing the price of water supplied by meter at 2s. 6d. and 2s. per 100 gallons, so far as it affects the water supply to steam ferry boats. If this proposal is agreed to he will then move that the charge for water supplied to steam ferryboats plying within the harbour be at the rate of 1s. 9d. per thousand gallons. Alderman O'Connor is to move the rescision of the resolution of Council of 9th ultimo, ordering the enlargement of stock pens at the Market Wharf. Alderman Moore is to move for the extension of the city boundaries so as to include the Lachlan Water Reserve of 768 acres and a portion of Cook Ward. Alderman Young is to move,—That permission be given to the Sydney Omnibus and Tramway Company, to lay down specimen tramway rails in George-street, from the north side of Bathurst-street southwards, for a distance of — yards. The distance is not specified in the motion as it stands on the business paper. The other motions relate to ordinary municipal improvements, especially to what the printer of the business paper describes, as he has in previous business papers described, as "curbing and guttering."

The usual meeting of the Council of the New South Wales Rifle Association was held on Friday evening, when all matters in connection with the forthcoming matches were advanced a stage. Two new prizes were announced, one presented by the proprietors of the "Town and Country Journal" for the highest aggregate score in the 6th, 16th, and 17th matches, trophy value [illegible], to be selected by the winner: the other £25, presented by the proprietors of the "Sydney Mail," for all Volunteers who have obtained the marksman's badge either in 1877 or 1878. To be fired under the same conditions as musketry instruction, with the addition of full accoutrements. The Council have added £20 for seven other prizes. Full particulars of both these prizes will be found in our advertising columns. The thanks of the Council were unanimously awarded to the donors for their handsome contributions. The following gentlemen were appointed committees for their respective nationalities to elect a captain and team for the International match, viz.: England: Colour-sergeant Gee, quarter-master sergeant Law, and private Slade. Ireland: Captain Strong, sergeant Sheridan, and sergeant Baxter. Scotland: Lieutenant A. Fraser, Lieutenant D. Fraser, and sergeant Sellar. Australia: Captain Cooper, Captain Farrell, and Lieutenant Finch. Notification of the meeting, with programmes and entry forms, will be sent to all the neighbouring colonies, and to her Majesty's ships of war on the station. Although the new regulations for the Volunteer Force have unsettled the minds of some intending competitors, the assurance of the commandant that there is nothing in the regulation to interfere with them is considered quite satisfactory, and a large entry and successful meeting is confidently anticipated. Active competition is proceeding for the intercolonial match with Victoria, which promises a very interesting contest.

The usual monthly meeting of the Astronomical Section of the Royal Society was held at the rooms, Elizabeth-street, on Friday evening, Mr. H. C. Russell, F.R.A.S., in the chair. A paper was read by Mr. W. J. Mac Donnell, F.R.A.S., on "Star discs and the separating power of telescopes." The chairman read an abstract of the results of the transit of Venus observations published by Captain Tupman, and referred especially to the great weight that had been attached to the observations made in this colony. Mr. G. D. Hirst exhibited a drawing of Saturn, made from a 10½-inch reflector.

The new railway platform for the convenience of the Stanmore people will be opened to-day. No less than thirteen up trains and fourteen down trains are to call at this platform every day, except Sunday. On Sunday all the up and down passenger trains will call. The times of arrival at, and departure from, the platform will be found in our advertising columns.

On Saturday last, a little after noon, Mr. W. Pritchard's horse and buggy was standing in front of his auction sale rooms, 281, George-street, in charge of his son Arthur, and whilst there one of Saunder's vans drove up, passing between an omnibus (passing at the time) and the buggy. The van came into collision with and capsized the buggy, and threw young Mr. Pritchard violently to the ground, severely bruising his head and leg in the fall. By some strange means the buggy righted itself and the horse started off in great fright. It was most gallantly and courageously followed by some gentleman on horseback, and in the midst of the crowded thoroughfare rescued before further damage was committed. The gentleman who performed the act certainly deserves all honour and credit for it. His name is unknown.

A boy, aged eleven, named Henry Livingstone was taken by his father to the Infirmary, on Friday, about 1 o'clock. It was alleged that he had fallen down a quarry some 60 feet. Both thighs were severely fractured. Notwithstanding the severe nature of the accident, the sufferer was conscious when he reached the Infirmary.

An inquest was held on Saturday morning, at the Brecknock Arms Hotel, on the body of George Ellis, aged 32, who was found dead in his bed, at the Tarragon Hotel, on Friday morning. The deceased, who was a steady sober man, was by nation an American, and had only been in the colony three months. During that time he was employed as cook at the Tarragon Hotel, and he occupied that position at the time of his death. While the deceased was engaged at the Tarragon Hotel he always appeared in excellent health and spirits, and was in very good health the evening before he died. Dr. Dansey, who made a post-mortem examination, stated that the cause of death was congestion of the brain, in accordance with which statement a verdict was returned.

A soiree dansante at Parramatta was most pleasantly and successfully carried out at the School of Arts on Friday evening; the hall, which was very tastefully decorated with flags, paintings, and festoons, being comfortably filled. There was an abundant supply of refreshments, and the music was most creditable. Dancing commenced shortly after 9 o'clock, and was carried on with the greatest enjoyment until early morning.

Mr. Heaton, it appears, did not make himself very clear at the meeting of the International Exhibition Committee regarding what he meant about Trickett's challenge to scull against the world. He did not wish to convey that if Trickett won he would give the money to the Exhibition; but only that the race should come off under the auspices and management of the International Exhibition Committee.

The Rev. J. F. Cullen, of St. Leonards, has recently found at the north some beautiful specimens of Epacris purpurescens, with double flowers. Similar plants have been found on various occasions in the neighbourhood of Parramatta, but as far as is known, only in that one species of Epacris. Ranunculus lappaceus occurs also double in a wild state, as well as Eriostemon obovalis, the latter being exceedingly interesting. It would be well during the present season for observers to notice any flowers which may be seen in a double state, for any such would be highly prized by horticulturists in Europe. According to the decision of Baron F. Von Mueller, the Rev. Dr. Woolls has succeeded in re-discovering on the banks of the Hawkesbury, the rush called Juncus vaginatus. This plant was described from a solitary specimen collected by the celebrated Robert Brown, three quarters of a century since. It stands in the systematic arrangement between J. communis and J. prismato carpus, but is not so common as those species. European botanists are manifesting an increasing interest in anything connected with the vegetable kingdom of Australia, whether in the shape of rare specimens of plants, or in any publication calculated to throw light on the same. As an instance of this, it may be mentioned that Dr. Woolls recently received through M. Joubert, a communication from M. le Comte d'Epremesnil, vice-president of the Acclimatization Society in Paris, in reference to his work entitled, "A Contribution to the Flora of Australia." M. Joubert states that any information respecting the species of eucalyptus is highly appreciated in Paris, and that during the late Exhibition he was applied to for such. It was not known to M. Joubert, when he left for Europe, that Baron Mueller had commenced a work on the genus, and that he had actually prepared some fifteen figures for the same. There is great difficulty in defining some of the species, but the Baron thinks that by separating them into sections according to the texture of their bark, and by noticing peculiarities in the first stage of their growth (that is as seedlings), he may be able to describe them more satisfactorily than any preceding botanist has done. Mr. Bentham's artificial system of dividing them according to the shape and openings of the anthers is very ingenious, but it labours under the defect of bringing in close proximity trees of a very different kind, and of placing far asunder species nearly allied. His mode of classification is not without its uses in arranging specimens for an herbarium, but, practically considered in reference to living plants, it is not of much utility. The late Mr. W. S. Macleay used to think that some species might become hybridized by means of parrots, which at certain seasons are very fond of feeding on the blossoms. This opinion, however, is not received by Baron Mueller, as he considers that the impregnation of the flowers takes place before the operculum falls off. There is no doubt a considerable amount of variation in some species, not only in the leaves, but even in the seed vessels (as for instance in E. tereticornis); but these variations are occasioned by other causes which remain to be investigated.

Tuesday last (says a correspondent) was an interesting day to many in the quiet neighbourhood of Picton, being the day fixed upon for laying the corner-stone of the parsonage. At half-past 3 o'clock a goodly company assembled on the ground, which is one of the most beautiful sites to be found anywhere. The ceremony was commenced by the reading of appropriate passages of Scripture; the first part of a hymn was sung which had been written for the occasion, Mr. W. R. Muir presiding at the harmonium; prayer was offered by the incumbent; after which the silver trowel and mallet were presented by Mr. J. C. Irving on behalf of the parsonage committee, and Mrs. W. R. Antill laid the stone in due form. After the stone was laid, the Rev. John Langley addressed the people in appropriate and earnest words. As is customary on such occasions an opportunity was given for those who wished to lay their offerings on the stone, and the sum of £57 was added to the funds. The second part of the special hymn was then sung, and the ceremony was closed with the benediction. In the evening, after tea in a booth close by, a public meeting was held in the Court-house, which was crowded in every part. The chair was taken by Mr. Irving. The meeting was of a thoroughly pleasant character, being varied with addresses from the clergy, and singing by the choir and other friends. At the close of the meeting an illuminated address, with a splendid gold watch, was presented to Mr. John C. Irving, as a token of esteem and regard from St. Mark's congregation and other residents of Picton. The address was read by the incumbent, and the watch was presented by Mr. W. Coull. The presentation was a most genuine expression of the high regard of the community for Mr. Irving, whose removal from Picton, after a five years' residence, is deeply regretted. Mr. Irving was taken by surprise at this unexpected manifestation of esteem and regard for him; though warmly thanking all who felt so kindly towards him, and who had shown it in so kind a manner, he would have stopped anything of the kind had he known of it, as he felt he had done nothing to deserve it; he believed Picton would become a place of importance soon on account of its climate, scenery, and nearness to the metropolis. He wished every prosperity to Picton, and should ever take a lively interest in it, though perhaps far away. The meeting was closed with "God save the Queen."

Perth papers to the 11th ultimo are to hand, but they contain no intelligence of more than ordinary interest. His Excellency the Governor is about to make another tour through the Eastern districts.—The Hon. H. H. Hocking (Attorney-General) proceeds home on leave at the end of the year.—The Court found in the investigation as to the loss of the barque Lady Elizabeth that Captain Scott had committed grave errors of judgment, but that there was no evidence upon which charges could be based.—The period for issuing licenses for the removal of guano from the Lacepede Islands has been extended to the 31st October next; and tenders for the exclusive right to the guano deposits to January next.

The form of tender and the conditions for the steam postal service between England and Australia have been drawn out by the Postmaster-General, and will probably be transmitted to England by the outgoing mail. The Government invite tenders for the mail services for a period of eight years, from the 1st February, 1880, as follows:—From Southampton or Plymouth (as may be specified by tender) to Melbourne, via Suez Canal, calling at Suez and Aden; and from Melbourne to Plymouth or Southampton calling at Aden and Suez, the service to be performed once every four weeks each way in forty-two days, the difference in time between Melbourne and Greenwich to be allowed. Melbourne is the fixed terminus for the line, and the condition is made that the mail steamers are not to call at or proceed to any other Australian port. Provision is to be made for the conveyance from Southampton or Plymouth to Melbourne of first, second, and third class passengers, the tenderers to state the maximum rates to be charged for passengers by each of the classes mentioned. Part 3 of the conditions provides that the mails to Melbourne shall be conveyed in 936 hours if from Southampton, and 926 hours if from Plymouth. The same time is specified for the homeward journey. These periods are exclusive of the time occupied in passing through the canal, and stoppages for the reception and delivery of mails. Sixty hours will be allowed for the passage through the canal and detention at Suez (except in cases where it will be necessary to wait for the Brindisi mails) and twelve hours for detention at Aden. The time allowed for the voyage between Melbourne and Suez, each way, including detention at Aden, is 686 hours. In the event of the contractors failing to deliver the mails in the periods stated, a penalty of £100 for every complete period of twenty-four hours consumed beyond the specified time will be enforced, provided that the full amount of such sums on any one voyage shall never exceed the portion of the subsidy to be paid for such voyage; the payment not to be enforced if it be shown to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that the delay has arisen from causes over which the contractors had no control. As an inducement to deliver the mails within contract time, a premium of £50 for every twenty-four hours less than the contract time is offered. The days and hours of departure of the mails will be fixed by the Postmaster-General, and will be subject to alteration by him from time to time. The Postmaster-General will also have the power of delaying the departure of any vessel for a period of twenty-four hours. All inward mail vessels will be required to stop at Queenscliff to deliver the Geelong or such other mails as the Minister may direct. The successful contractor will be required to enter into a bond for £25,000 for the due execution of the contract. Separate tenders are called for the conveyance, once a month each way, of mails from Aden or Point de Galle to Melbourne, calling at King George's Sound and Glenelg, and from Melbourne to the ports named. The service to be performed, if from Aden, in twenty-five days, if from Point de Galle in eighteen days. The steamers on this service will be allowed to proceed to any other Australian port after the delivery of the mails in Melbourne. It will also be open to tenderers to make an offer for a fortnightly service between Aden and Melbourne. The tenders will be received at the office of the Agent-General for Victoria in London, or at the office of the Postmaster-General, Melbourne, up to noon of Wednesday, 15th January, 1879. The distance that will have to be steamed by this service from Southampton to Melbourne is 10,875 miles; from Aden to Melbourne, 6642 miles; and from Galle to Melbourne, 4882 miles. It will thus be seen that an average rate of speed of 11½ knots per hour will have to be maintained in order to accomplish the distances within contract time.

Payment of members of Parliament for periods of absence has been looked into by the Victorian Legislature, and according to the Melbourne journals a return was laid before the Assembly on Tuesday last, showing the names of members who have left the colony since the principle of payment of members has been established, the time of their absence and the amount of remuneration received by them during their absence. According to this return, Archibald Michie was absent from the 23rd May, 1872, to 31st January, 1873, and the amount of remuneration which he drew during that period was £207 5s. 1d. Mr. James Graham was absent from the 1st March to the 30th November, 1873, and he received £225. Mr. Alexander Fraser was absent from 1st June, 1874, to 30th November, 1875, and the amount of remuneration which he received was £450. Nicholas Fitzgerald was absent from 28th January, 1870, to the 1st February, 1877, during which period he received £804 2s. 4d. Mr. Howard Spensley was absent from 4th January to 30th April, 1873, and received during that period £97 11s. 7d. Mr. James M'Bain left the colony on the 28th January, 1875, and returned on the 12th September, and the amount paid during his absence was £188 4s. 6d. The same return also furnished a list of members who, during absence from the colony, had not drawn their remuneration. These were Mr. J. P. Bear, who was absent from the 29th March, 1873, to the 31st May, 1874, the amount due to him being £352 8s. 4d.; Mr. T. M'Kellar, who was absent from 1st August, 1874, to 28th May, 1875, the amount due being £247 11s. 7d.; Mr. F. T. Sargood, who was absent during the months of November and December, 1874, and January, 1875, the sum due being £75; and Mr. William Skene, who was absent from the 1st to 18th September, 1876, to whom £8 6s. 8d. was due. Mr. J. P. Bear had drawn no money since the 1st December, 1874, up to 11th December, 1877, and the sum of £908 17s. 5d. stands to his credit in the Trust Fund. Sir C. Sladen had drawn no salary between the 12th September, 1876, and the 11th December, 1877, and the sum of £874 is deposited in his name in the Trust Fund. The amount remaining in the Trust Fund unclaimed on the 3rd April, 1878, was £1910 0s. 9d. The return contained a copy of an opinion given by Mr. Kerferd when Attorney-General, in reference to the payment of a sum of £450 to Mr. Alexander Fraser for a period during which he was absent from the colony. Mr. Kerferd's opinion was that Mr. Fraser was entitled to the money, because the £300 per annum was measured by the Act as an allowance to be paid to members as long as they held their seats. The language of the Act, in his opinion, did not admit of a construction which would enable the distribution of the money on a pro rata basis, to be measured by the number of actual attendances. If an absent member, therefore, thought it a proper thing to make such a claim there was no legal ground for refusing it.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

On Saturday evening Mr. Theo. Hamilton, the American actor, who brings high credentials here from San Francisco, made his first appearance in Australia at this theatre, "Macbeth" being the play. The cast was as follows:—Mr. Hamilton, Macbeth; Mrs. Edward Holloway, Lady Macbeth; Mr. Douglas, Macduff; Mr. Hasker, Duncan; Mr. West, Banquo; Mr. South, Hecate; Misses Melville, Mainwaring, and Kemble, the three witches. Locke's music was also rendered, the Misses Deorwyn taking the leading parts. Mr. Hamilton's appearance was looked forward to with interest, and he received great applause on his first entrance, as he did also throughout the evening. His idea of Macbeth is of the G. V. Brooke school, and he seems to have carefully studied the style of that eminent actor. He makes the idea of terror of the murder of Duncan, and the remorse consequent thereupon the predominant feature of the part; and throughout there is a mixture of fear and bravery which Brooke knew so well how to impart to the character, and which Mr. Hamilton seems to follow. Whether or not this be the correct idea is a question on which critics may, and do differ; but it is the one which Mr. Hamilton adopts, and he acts it out with great ability. Most certainly he gave immense scope for the contrast between the characters of Macbeth and Lady Macbeth, and this was depicted to the greatest advantage. Necessarily such a contrast should be seen from the view Mr. Hamilton takes of the character of the King, provided that the Lady Macbeth is equal to the occasion. Mrs. Hollway was, and consequently we had a performance which commended itself by its good balance, so far as its leading features were concerned. Mr. Hamilton has an excellent stage presence, a good voice (for it was plain on Saturday night that the huskiness was merely the result of a cold), and he is moreover evidently well acquainted with his art. It is therefore probable that he will be acceptable to the public, and be generally appreciated. Indeed, it is a pleasure, especially of late days, to have the legitimate drama placed on the stage with good acting. Mr. Hamilton has a fair field open before him, and of this he will doubtless be able to avail himself, more particularly as he appears in numerous *rôles*, each requiring great power. His impersonations, therefore, will be looked forward to with interest by all who desire to see good acting.

Mrs. Holloway has made herself a stranger to the Sydney stage for about three years. Her entrance on Saturday night was therefore—as it is the worthy custom of all playgoers here to welcome heartily the return of well-known faces—the signal for a hearty round of applause. As of old, there was the usual power in her representation of Lady Macbeth, heightened as it were by the contrast of character already referred to between herself and the King. She was very forcible in her manner, giving the idea of the remorseless and yet dignified woman throughout. Mr. Douglas did extremely well as Macduff. He well deserved the call he received at the end of the great scene in which Macduff receives the news of the slaughter of his wife and children. Altogether he did justice to his part; and this is only another proof of what Mr. Douglas can do if he likes. Messrs. Hasker and West—indeed the whole of the members of the company acquitted themselves in a highly creditable manner, and left scarcely anything to be desired. So much of the interest of the tragedy as well of its action depends upon the two leading parts, that the rest can only—so far as the present mode of presenting the play is concerned—be regarded as a setting to them. As such, it is but justice to the company to say that they were exceedingly good. The music was fairly rendered; and the mounting of the play deserves commendation. For to-night a change of performance is announced, "Money" being the play.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

It would be almost a matter of impossibility to find accommodation for more persons in the Victoria Theatre than those composing the audience which, on Saturday night, assembled there to witness the production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." This drama is founded upon Mrs. Beecher Stowe's well read book, and exhibits many of the most exciting and sensational incidents described in that work. These events are as familiar to the general public as those associated with Robinson Crusoe's unwonted exile on Juan Fernandez. They are also equally well appreciated, and it was doubtless in consequence of these facts that such a large number of persons become animated by a desire to patronise what the play bills call a moral and religious drama. There are many sentiments in the play which excite emotion and which are calculated to create almost as great an aversion to slavery as Mrs. Stowe's literary efforts, and therefore the drama may be accepted as an excellent means for supplementing the feelings that lady has so universally aroused, and which to so great an extent were instrumental in emancipating the negro slaves of the United States. The sentiments of the book were very fairly expressed in the drama on Saturday night, although some of them were made rather more extravagant than was necessary. No negro, for instance, ever spoke and sang of death to a child as Uncle Tom is made to speak and sing to Eva; and no child of Eva's years ever spoke as Eva is made to speak just before she dies. There was in the scene of the child's death a manifest effort to create a painful sensation in the feelings of the audience, and it succeeded in the same manner as does the representation in "East Lynne" of the death of Lady Isabel's child. In each instance, however, the children utter sentiments far beyond their years, and therefore their expressions are unnatural. In other respects the character of Eva, which is a central one, and a most marked contrast to that of Topsy, was very well played. Uncle Tom, of whose original so much has been read recently, was represented by Mr. R. B. Lewis, a late arrival here. The characteristic traits of the old man were ably portrayed by that gentleman, and were frequently applauded in all parts of the house. George Harris was represented by Mr. E. B. Boothmann. The character, however, was not sufficiently animated with courage and resolution, nor did it display much of the energy and fire George possessed, and which caused him to make such determined efforts to secure his freedom. Mr. Bland Holt had a most unthankful part. It was that of Marks, and Mr. Holt seemed impressed with the idea that it was his duty to present the character in as ridiculous a light as possible. He did not seem to remember that no slave hunter would be weakminded enough to secure the services of such an eccentric individual as he represented. The Quaker farmer, Von Trompe, one of the finest characters in the book, was burlesqued rather than made natural, and the formality and stiffness introduced into the part were characteristics of a Cantwell or an Aminadab Sleek, rather than those of the man who hated slavery, and who gave Harris such material assistance in escaping from it. The other characters were evenly played, and on the whole the audience appeared much gratified with the efforts of the numerous performers who were made responsible for the success of the piece. The scenery, as is usually the case at this establishment, was remarkably effective and well chosen. The scene in which Eliza and her child cross the river on ice received the warmest commendations of all who witnessed it for its naturalness and for the completeness of its details. The same piece will be played this evening.

Kelly and Leon's Minstrels, who have been attracting such large houses at the Queen's Theatre every evening for some weeks past, announce that their last appearance will be on Wednesday. To-morrow Mr. Leon takes his farewell benefit.

Miss Amy Sherwin is to give a concert at the Parramatta School of Arts on Wednesday evening.

Saturday last was chosen by Mr. Frank Smith, of the Sir Joseph Banks Hotel, for celebrating the completion of the fine pavilion he has erected on his grounds at Botany. Mr. Smith has recently had a large increase made in the accommodation for those who visit his place, and the most prominent feature in it is the pavilion mentioned. A short distance conveys the idea that this building is intended for exhibition purposes, and close observation reveals the fact that it is one of the most commodious and convenient provisions for banqueting, dancing, and skating—the purposes to which it is principally to be appropriated—in the colony. It is constructed of wood and galvanized iron, by Mr. William Smith, from designs supplied by Mr. Edward Hughes. It is 210 feet long by 81 feet wide, while the height to the centre of its semi-circular roof is 26 feet. At each side are large apertures 10 feet apart, which not only ventilate the place effectively but give it a great many of the advantages open pavilions possess. The floor is of kauri pine, laid in ship-deck fashion, and as 12 feet wide or so of this all round the interior of the building is set apart as a rink, it can be easily understood that excellent facilities have been secured for roller-skating. The centre of the floor is for dancers, and will accommodate an almost unlimited number. A band-stand is placed in the middle of the dancing space so that all engaging in the terpsichorean art may enjoy the full effect of the music provided. Botany is frequently selected as a place for recreation and picnic parties, in consequence of its being convenient to the city, and from the fact of the road to it being one of the best in the vicinity of the metropolis. On Saturday the Botany omnibuses succeeded each other with more than usual rapidity, and a large number of persons of both sexes found their way by them to Mr. Smith's pavilion. Here an excellent corps of musicians were assembled, who intend calling themselves the City Union Band. They are selected from some of the most efficient instrumentalists of the Sydney theatres and other places of public amusement, and, therefore, the programmes they offer will sure to be of a good order. As soon as they struck up the pavilion became filled with dancers and skaters, animated by the lively "Madame Angot Quadrilles," or the graceful strains of the "Blue Danube Waltzes." The place thus became a scene of great enjoyment, which was maintained until the shades of evening fell. The success of Mr. Smith's venture seemed ensured, and no doubt it will be largely patronised. This, however, will greatly depend upon the order maintained at such large gatherings as that of Saturday. In that instance the order was admirable, and Mr. Smith's reputation is a sufficient guarantee that on future occasions anything like disorder will be promptly suppressed.

The loss to Turkey of Bosnia is the loss of 80,000 men, which the Porte levied as soldiers. The gain to Austria, if she can hold the new provinces, is not less than 120,000 recruits, as she will enrol the Christians.

ADDITIONAL ENGLISH NEWS
BY THE SUEZ MAIL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

ALBANY, SUNDAY.

The following is a summary of news by the R. M. S. Tanjore.

LONDON, AUGUST 30.

On the 16th Parliament was prorogued by Royal Commission till the 2nd November, when it will be further prorogued as usual till February.

Negotiations are proceeding between England and the Porte, relative to reforms in Asia Minor. England's proposals refer chiefly to three points: to the maintenance of order by regular gendarmes and partial administration of justice by appellate tribunals, by accessions, and the reorganization of the system of taxation. The Porte is willing to execute reforms, but points out that he is completely destitute of the necessary means.

It is believed that the Porte has strongly pressed for the aid of England to float a new Turkish loan; but the "Times" declares any such support to be impossible.

The Khedive of Egypt has fully accepted the recommendation of the committee of inquiry into the subject of the Egyptian revenue; and has ceded all his landed property to the State, while he will accept a reponsible Ministry under Nub Pasha in which Mr. Rivers Wilson will be Finance Minister. In a letter published to-day, the Khedive says:—"I am firmly determined to apply European principles to Egyptian administration. Instead of personal power, hitherto prevailing, I desire a power balanced by the Council of a Ministry, and I am resolved henceforth to govern with and through this Council, the members of which will be jointly and severally responsible." These important concessions are invariably regarded as full of promise for the future of Egypt.

Turkey has already commenced the concentration of troops on the Greek frontier.

The Austrians have occupied Serajevo, the old capital of Bosnia, after a series of fiercely contested engagements with the insurgents. Inside the town fighting has been of the most desperate character. The insurgents have been joined by a large number of Turkish regular and irregular troops. The main body is commanded by a Mahometan fanatic named Hadji Loja, and the resistance offered to the Austrian advance is of the most serious and stubborn character. Reinforcements are being dispatched to the Austrian commander, and it is intended to raise the army of occupation for Bosnia and Herzegovina to 180,000 men as promptly as possible.

Negotiations have long been proceeding between Austria and the Porte for the conclusion of a convention, but they have as yet been without success; Austria refusing to acknowledge the Sultan's sovereignty or to fix the term of the occupation as demanded by Turkey.

The people of Batoum are said to have abandoned their intention of resisting the Russian occupation, which is fixed to take place on the 12th of September.

The English ambassador at St. Petersburgh has been instructed, by Lord Salisbury, to remonstrate with the Russian Government against the atrocities perpetrated under the eyes of Russian soldiers in Bulgaria.

Hoedel, the would-be assassin of the Emperor of Germany, was decapitated in the court yard of Berlin prison on August the 16th.

On the same day General Mezenstoff, Chief of the Third Section of Police, was assassinated at St. Petersburgh.

The British Press are recently giving great prominence to the subject of the Russian designs upon Afghanistan; suspicion in this respect having been strongly revived by the arrival of a Russian mission at Cabool. As a countercheck to this move, the British Government sends General Sir Neville Chamberlain, at the head of a numerous mission, to the Ameer, to make that potentate clearly understand that English interests must not be jeopardised by any leaning on his part towards Russia. Journals of all opinions unite in declaring that English prestige in this region must be maintained, even at the cost of the annexation of Kandahar and Herat if necessary.

Sir Henry Drummond Wolfe, British representative of the International Commission for the reorganization of Eastern Roumenia, left for Constantinople, accompanied by Lord Donoughmore, Assistant Commissioner.

The home political event of the past week was the Argyleshire election, which resulted in a victory for the Duke of Argyle's son, Lord Colin Campbell, by a majority of 355 votes, Mr. Malcolm, of Notaillock, the Conservative candidate, polling 110 votes.

Mr. Mundell, the M.P. for Sheffield, has been received with strong disapproval in the town he represents, in consequence of his opposition to the policy of the Government.

Mr. J. A. Roebuck has been appointed Privy Councillor, it is said as a mark of the Queen's approval of the support which he gave to the policy of the Government in opposition to Liberal leaders on Eastern questions.

The Queen, after visiting the Duchess of Roxburgh at Broxmouth en route, has gone to Balmoral.

The United States are again endeavouring to persuade Canada to bring herself within the fiscal tariff of the Union.

The German Federal Council has adopted a stringent Socialist Bill proposed by Prussia, with some modifications in details.

The anniversary of the silver wedding of the King and Queen at Belgium has been celebrated at Brussels, the English representative being the Marquis of Hamilton, the Duke of Abercorn's eldest son. The festivities were very brilliant and successful, and the popular demonstration of loyalty most enthusiastic and genuine.

An American has crossed the Channel in an india-rubber collapsible canoe, with a propeller worked by the feet.

Commander Cameron is about to make a tour through Asia Minor and Persia to India, for the purpose of surveying a railway route from the Mediterranean to India, not through the Valley of the Euphrates.

There has been a crash in the publishing trade. Virtue and Co. have suspended payment, and two other houses, those of Dalby, Isbester, and Co., successors to Strathdon and Co., and Tinsley Brothers, have been involved in its fall.

A series of difficulties have arisen between the Australians and the English players in reference to the match fixed for Monday next at the Oval. The Australians declined to play the Players on the terms of £20 each man, which the Players state was paid by them to the Australian Eleven at the benefit of the English team in Australia, the general feeling of the sporting papers is that the Australians are not in the right.

Sir Neville Chamberlain and staff has started for Peshalar, there to await the Ameer's reply to proposal, and to dispatch a mission to Cabul. The Maharajah of Kypoor's brother, and other native princes, are attached to the mission.

News has been received through Cabul of the death of the heir apparent on the 17th of August; an unauthenticated report states that Seakoof escaped during the confusion following the death of Abdallah Jan, heir apparent, and fled in the direction of Ghaseni. The tribes on the north-west frontier, though manifesting keen interest in the arrival of the Russian Embassy for Cabul, are all friendly and orderly, and the Kyberites seem indisposed to place difficulties in the way of the passage of Sir Neville Chamberlain's party through the Khyber Pass.

The Indian contingent has commenced arriving at Bombay from Cyprus.

The enforcement of the license tax according to the views of the Collector of Bombay is meeting with steady opposition from all classes. The trial of native editors at Surat, charged with inciting the inhabitants to riot and resist tax, continues.

The "Madras Mail" publishes a rumour that the Duke of Buckingham succeeds Sir George Bowen as Governor of Victoria.

A hope is expressed that the Australian Cricketers may visit India on their way back to Australia.

Great depression of trade prevails in India. About one hundred and fifty vessels are now lying in Calcutta, of which but few have charters. A similar state of things also exists about Bombay. Rains are being bountiful throughout the country. Crops are reported everywhere as being favourable, Burmah excepted, where he rainfall is very deficient.

The Austrian police have arrested the French Communist Aristides Barre, who is accused of shooting the late Archbishop of Paris (Darboy) in 1871.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(FROM OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.)

THE AFGHAN DIFFICULTY.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 28.

The English Cabinet desires to leave the Afghan question in the hands of Lord Lytton, Viceroy of India, and avoid dragging Russia into the dispute.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 28.

Orders to mass troops at Quetta (in Beloochistan) have been delivered with a view to an immediate advance upon Candahar.

The Mission in charge of General Sir Neville Chamberlain, which was dispatched to Cabul, but was turned back by the Ameer's officer at the Khyber Pass, has been dissolved.

It is expected that the Khyberees will be detached from the Ameer.

RUSSIA AND THE AMEER OF CABUL.

LONDON, SEPT. 26.

The British Government are in possession of evidence that Russia had promised the Ameer of Cabul a subsidy, and Indian territory, in the event of a successful war.

THE INSURRECTION IN GREECE.

LONDON, SEPT. 26.

The insurgents in Thessaly have defeated the Turks.

THE ADDRESS TO MR. GLADSTONE.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 26.

A letter has been published by Mr. Gladstone, thanking the South Australians for their congratulatory address in regard to his conduct in connection with the Eastern question.

GUNPOWDER EXPLOSION.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 26.

A gunpowder explosion has taken place in Mount Gothard tunnel.

THE AUSTRIANS IN BOSNIA.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 26.

The Austrians have occupied Gwarnitt. Bosnia is now virtually completely pacified.

SAILING OF THE ALERT.

LONDON, SEPTEMBER 28.

The H.M.S Alert has sailed from Portsmouth for the South Pacific.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

BARRENJUEY.

SATURDAY.

The schooner Rebecca, 115 tons, from Newcastle, bound to Sydney, Frank Lopez, master, was caught in a heavy squall at 4 p.m. yesterday afternoon about one mile south of Cape Three Points, and about half a mile inside the point. She lost all her sails, and drove ashore on the reefs near the little boat harbour, about a mile inside Cape Three Points. The vessel was totally smashed up. The crew are safe ashore at the scene of the wreck. One of the crew had his leg broken. The police have left for the wreck.

PARKES.

SATURDAY.

Proceedings against John Woods for unlawful occupation of Crown lands has been stayed by order of the Minister for Lands.

The weather is delightfully fine.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, SUNDAY.

The Menmuir (s.), from Singapore, arrived to-day; also the Victoria (s.) and Clarence (s.), from Sydney; and Irene, from Newcastle.

Sailed yesterday, Katoomba (s.), for Sydney.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

The debentures will not be sent forward by the San Francisco mail but by the next Suez mail, and the loan will be floated in London in February.

The Railway Construction Bill will not be introduced in the Assembly till the end of the session, and it will then only be laid on the table, and not discussed.

The third reading of the Reform Bill will be proceeded with on Tuesday.

The 19th and 20th of this month are the dates fixed for hospital Saturday and Sunday.

The largest attendance of the season assembled on Saturday at the Melbourne Ground to witness the football contest between the Geelong and Melbourne clubs. The excitement during the match was very great. The Geelong club won by 5 goals to 1. They have never been beaten this season and were victorious over South Australia.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, SATURDAY.

Mr. West-Erskine is a candidate for Encounter Bay District.

Mr. King has accepted office as sixth Minister in the Cabinet.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

Mr. Berry, accompanied by Major Smith and several members of Parliament, visited Ballarat yesterday, to lay the foundation-stone of a new free library. There was a soiree in the evening at the Alfred Hall.

It is intended to introduce a bill into the Assembly to abate the rabbit nuisance. Landholders will be required to destroy them on their property.

Over 5000 persons attended the Geelong show yesterday.

An Industrial Exhibition will be held in Sandhurst next March.

The Sydenham Company, at Dunolly, has struck a reef with prospects of one ounce per ton.

The arrivals of wool at Echuca are large. Over 6000 bales were received during the week.

The second reading of the Amending Land Bill will be moved in the Assembly during the ensuing week.

The conditions of the new mail contract are to be discussed in the Assembly on Tuesday. An effort will be made to vary the conditions of a direct service, and providing for steamers calling at Western Australia and South Australia, and going on to Sydney.

A movement to teach the children attending the State schools the art of swimming has taken a practical shape. To-day about 500 children from the Carlton schools were taken to the Emerald Hill Baths.

NEW ZEALAND.

WELLINGTON, FRIDAY.

The Government has to-day suffered a defeat on the second reading of the Beer Tax Bill by a majority of 2. Sir George Grey consequently announced that the Government would withdraw the Beer Tax and the Companies' Income Tax Bills.

Polarised Rays of Royalty.—The New Governor of Canada.—The *Spectator* of August 3 observes:—The Marquis of Lorne is to succeed Lord Dufferin as Viceroy of the Dominion of Canada, but he does not go out till November. This appointment may be either a great success or a great failure, according to the spirit in which the duty is conceived. But unquestionably if it be rightly conceived, the close connection with the Crown which Lord Lorne's marriage has given him, should be a source of great popularity. Only it will not do to expect the popularity without earning it. Lord Dufferin has been all things to Canada,—has addressed the French Canadians in French speeches as good as those of the Paris tribune, and the British backwoodsmen in humour as homely and graphic as even the Western States of America could supply. After such a Viceroy, who has gained all hearts, it will hardly do merely to shed pensive though benignant rays of polarised Royalty on the Canadian people. No doubt Lord Lorne would make a mistake in imitating Lord Dufferin's modes and manners of Viceregal government too closely. He must be himself, and not an imitation of Lord Dufferin. Still, if he works as Lord Dufferin worked, and the Princess forgets she is anything but the Viceroy's wife—which she is quite capable of doing—the people of Canada certainly will not forget she is the daughter of the Queen.

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COMMERCIAL.

PRODUCE SALES.

By Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin.—FL, 5 hides at 3½d; HB, 11 at 3½d; Black dot, 4 at 3½d; ditto, 55 at 3½d; ML over B, 42 at 3½d; H, 54 at 3d; J, 67 at 3½d; ditto, 35 at 3¾d; TW, 23 at 3½d; Red cross, 26 at 3¾d; Spur, 23 at 3½d; RE, 23 at 2½d; ditto, 11 at 2½d; JG, 71 at 3½d; Red braid, 62 at 3½d; HB, 97 at 3½d; D, 39 at 3½d; RS, 31 at 3½d; B, 38 at 3½d; TP, 10 at 3½d; JC&Co, 8 at 3½d; B, 26 at 3½d, 10 at 3½d. Calfskins: FL, 1 at 1s 6d; ML over B, 1 at 6d; B, 12 at 2s 8d. Pigskin: ML over B, 1 at 3s. Beeswax: Addressed, 1 case at 13d. Horns: B, 1 lot at 25s; BG over A, 1 at 16s. Bones: B, 1 lot at 7s. Horse Hair: JM, 1 bag at 13d; mixed JB, 2 at 10d; cow hair, BG over A, 1 at 8d; H, 1 at 9d; stumps B, 1 at 5d.

By Mr. Bridge:—Blue rag, 37 hides at 3½d; P&Co., 8 at 3½d; JB, 42 at 3¾d; J over TO over N, 45 at 3½d; 40 at 3½d; WW, 57 at 3½d; White rag, 14 at 3d, 37 at 3½d; WS, 14 at 3½d; Green braid, 40 at 3½d; J over TC over N, 54 at 3½d; WB, 39 at 3½d; TTP, 18 at 3½d; JH, 2 at 3d; Red braid, 17 at 3½d; Leather label, 13 at 3½d; EH, 9 at 3½d; WD, 7 at 3½d; J, 10 at 3d; TP, 6 at 3d; P&Co, 9 at 3½d; Addressed, 6 at 3½d; CC, 8 at 3½d; S, 2 at 3d; M'M, 35 at 3½d; DLF, 5 at 3½d; OWN, 3 at 3½d; B, 4 at 3½d; BC, 4 at 3½d; SRS, 3 at 3½d; ML, 2 at 3½d; ON, 5 at 3½d; CT, 52 at 3½d; WBR, 8 at 3½d; Q, 2 at 3½d; PK, 2 at 3½d; PR, 29 at 3½d; ES, 16 at 3½d; WA, 1 at 3d; MQ, 6 calfskins at 1s; Green rag, 10 at 1s 10d; J over TC over N, 10 at 2s 9d, 20 at 9d; ES, 1 yearling at 3s; Green rag, 1 at 3s; Black rag, 2 hides at 2½d; EN, 4 horsehides at 5s 3d; White rag, 1 at 5s 3d; JRJ&Co., lot kangaroo at 12s, lot wallaby at 4s; GWP, 1 bag horns at 30s; J over TC over N, 4 at 30s; K, 4 at 30s; JP, 2 at 26s; JB, 2 at 28s; C&S, 1 (very small) at 10s, 1 bag bones at 3s 6d; K, 3 at 5s; K, 1 at 9s 3d; J over W, 1 at 7s; CWD, 1 bag hoofs at 3s, 3 at 4s, 1 (tips) horns at 7s.

By Messrs. Maiden, Hill, and Clark.—TR, 98 hides at 3½d; L, 3 at 3½d; HH, 5 at 3¾d; Circle bar, 10 at 3½d; White paint, 11 at 3¾d; G2 under half-circle, 65 at 3¾d; JR, 16 at 3½d; Ex Ocean Wave, 5 at 3¾d; BL&Co, 18 at 3d; V&Co, 21 at 3½d; HW, 7 at 3½d; Ex Ocean Wave, 8 at 3¾d; RI, 23 at 3¾d; AC, 10 at 3½d; G2 under half-circle, 51 at 3½d; JC, 30 at 3½d; P, 7 at 3½d; J, 6 at 3½d; Haircut, 8 at 2½d; Tin label, 88 at 3½d; ML, 29 at 3½d; Fleshout, 26 at 2d; Red tape, 41 at 3½d; RT, 20 at 3½d; D, 5 at 3½d; M, 4 at 3½d; White tape, 18 at 2¾d; Leather label, 31 at 3½d; H, 15 at 3½d; M, 24 at 3½d; C, 2 calf at 1s; Y, 1 yearling at 3s 9d; H, 1 horsehide at 4s; LC, 24 calf at 1s 3d; ME, 5 at 2s 3d; JA, 8 at 1s 3d; ET&Co., 3 calf at 1s 6d; HW, 14 at 1s 5d; BE, 50 at 1s 9d; R, 5 at 9d; ET&Co., 13 hides at 2½d; G 2 under half-circle, 1 ditto (slippy) at 2½d; JL, 3 bags horsehair at 12½d; S over Gosford, 1 at 14d; Circle bar, 1 at 6½d; M, 1 at 6½d; T, 5 bags bones at £12 10s; MH&C, 1 at £3 per ton; MH, 1 bag horns at 20s 3d per 100. TAD, 2 casks tallow at £31; SS in blue paint, 4 at £28; EB, 1 at £26; C in circle, 3 at £28; TAD, 2 at £29 10s; EB, 2 at £27; C&C, 1 at £27 10s; Circle bar, 2 at £27; EB, 1 at £29; TB, 9 at £30; HU, 3 at £28; M, 25 at £28 10s; C, 2 at £28; TAD, 2 at £29 10s; HU, 1 at £25; Circle bar, 1 at £25; JR, 1 at £25 10s; JH, 1 at £25 10s; ST, 1 at £24; TR, 2 at £25; BRN, 1 at £25; S, 1 at £24 pert on.

By Messrs. Mort and Co.—H, 94 hides at 3½d; Bow and Arrow, 17 at 3¾d; Ky, 72 at 3½d; BR, 36 at 3¾d; GW, 14 at 3½d; AV, 10 at 3½d; MC, 24 at 3½d; B, 88 at 3½d; BR, 1 calfskins at 2s 7d; MC, 1 yearling at 3s; BR, 1 hide at 2½d; BW, 19 at 3d; W, 7 yearlings at 5s; N, 59 hides at 3d; M, 47 at 2¾d; CC over F, 9 at 3½d; 5 at 3¾d; RQ, 20 at 3d; 10C, 7 at 3½d; RM, 1 at 3½d; ET, 125 horehides at 4s 3d, 6 inferior and small at 1s; BE, 12 bundles calskins at 1s; W, 6 yearling at 2s 6d, 2 calfskins at 1s. Kangaroo skins, &c.: CC over F, 6 bundles at 12s per dozen, 4 at 3s, 2 bundles goatskins at 9s; W, 2 bundles kangaroo skins at 7s; S over T, 1 at 6s. Tallow: S, 2 casks at £30; E, 2 at £29 5s; KY, 10 at £28; FM&Co, 1 at £26 15s; ERO, 1 at £25; PHC, 1 at £25; T in triangle, 4 at £26 15s. B, 2 bags hair at 14d; M'N, 1 bale at 11d per lb. PM, 2 bags horns at 25s. 2 bags bones at 6s 9d. 1 bag hoofs at 2s 6d. E, 41 bags horns at 30s. L, 10 bags bones at 7s 6d. RQ, 1 bag horns at 11s 3d, 2 bags bones at 5s 6d.

By Mr. Barker.—O in diamond, 29 hides at 4½d; Leather label, 7 at 3½d; White tape, 37 at 4d; S, 30 at 3¾d; AR No. 8, 69 at 3¾d; PV, 9 at 3¾d; Blue tape, 38 at 3½d; D over PY, 3 at 3½d; S&W, 4 at 2½d; HB over S, 20 calf at 2s; LY, 5 horse at 3s 11d; HB over S, 4 calf at 1s 2d; Blue tape, 1 bundle at 10d; S, 3 at 1s 10d; White tape, 1 bag cow stumps at 6d; Red rag, 1 bag mixed hair at 10d; SS, 1 bundle hair and wool at 5d; M over B, 1 bag cow stumps at 6d; HB over S, 1 bag hair at 10d; BY, 1 bale cow hair at 10d; Addressed, 1 bag mane and horse at 9d; O in diamond, 9 bags bones at 4s 9d; 1 in diamond, 39 at 7s; M over B, 3 inferior at 2s 6d; HB over S, 2 bags horns at 10s; D over PY, 1 at 24s 9d; JD, 1 bag hoofs at 3s; D over PY, 1 bag bones at 6s; HB over S, 3 bags bones at 3s; S over P, 2 small casks tallow at 26s 6d; NIU, 1 quarter-cask at 26s 6d; M, 1 hogshead at 26s 6d; KM, 1 tierce mutton at 30s 6d; B, 5 casks beef at 30s; JW, 1 hogshead at 30s 6d, 2 casks at 30s; KBT, 2 tierces at 30s; JF in star, 60 bags Launceston ground bark at £7 per ton.

By Messrs. Mort and Co.—Wool: JMcM, 1 bag grease at 6½d; RG, 3 locks at 3d; R, 1 grease at 7¾d; SLO, 1 at 8½d, 2 mixed at 3d; PRL, 2 fleece at 20½d; LT in diamond, 1 at 14½d, 1 broken fleece at 11d; LT, 1 grease at 9½d; LT in diamond over Llangollen, 1 grease at 9½d; LT in diamond, 1 at 7½d; JMcM over Weetalabah, 1 bale locks at 2d; HXH in diamond, 1 at 12d; LOW over Welltown over Queensland, 1 bale locks at 5½d; G. P. Hall over Blairmore, 3 grease at 9d, 1 grease and pieces at 7d; AC over K, 2 grease at 8d; JD, 3 at 7½d, 1 grease and pieces at 5½d; WWW over B, 6 grease at 10d, 3 at 6¾d, 1 bellies and pieces at 6d; WW over W, 4 grease at 8½d, 4 bellies at 7½d, 4 locks at 5½d; WA, 2 scoured at 10¾d; X in circle, 7 grease at 9½d, 1 locks at 4d; GTL, 4 grease at 9½d, 1 pieces at 3¾d; WO over B, 2 grease at 7½d; JHN, 13 scoured at 12½d; CCB, 3 at 16d. Sheepskins: LOW over Welltown, 2 bales at 7½d; AHH, 6 bundles at 7½d; RG, 9 bundles at 6¾d; S&M, 4 bales at 7¾d; ARB, 2 at 4½d; HGB, 3 bundles at 5¾d; ARB, 1 bale at 6½d, 3 bundles at 6¾d, 4 at 6½d; HB over B, 6 bales at 8d, 3 at 5¾d; JMM, 1 bundle at 6½d; HH in diamond, 2 at 5½d; ET, 1 at 6d; AHH, 1 lot at 3½d; LOW over Welltown, 1 at 4½d; RG, 1 at 3½d; ARB, 1 bale at 4½d; HGB, 1 lot at 3½d; E, 2 bundles at 6½d; LOW over Welltown, 12 bales at 7¾d; Boree, 6 at 6½d; T, 12 bundles at 6½d; SLO, 6 at 7½d; Boree, 1 lot at 4d; ⁀ over SM, 1 bale at 6½d; JS over M, 1 at 7½d; GB over P, 1 at 5½d; AF, 2 at 7½d; MM, 4 at 8½d; Ky, 7 at 5½d; AQ, 15 at 6½d, BR, 12 at 5½d; AQ, 2 at 3½d; T over B, 2 at 6½d; GS over KBK, 3 bales at 6½d; JDM over Kilkwan, 1 bale at 5½d; A, 1 bundle at 7½d; ED, 1 at 5½d; SLO, 1 lot at 4d; ⁀ over MS, 1 at 3½d; T, 1 at 3½d; JS over M, 1 pocket at 3¾d; RM, 1 bag at 3¾d; X, 19 bundles at 7¾d; CY, 4 bales at 6d; X, 1 bundle at 3½d; CY, 1 lot at 3½d; WA, 1 at 6½d; LOW over Welltown, 7 bales at 7¾d; F over C in diamond, 4 at 6½d, 1 at 4¾d; Bow and arrow, 8 at 7d per lb

By Mr. Bridge.—CJ, 2 bales scoured wool at 20½d; S in circle, 3 at 17¾d; GS over Forbes, 2 at 13d; ML, 1 (cross-bred) at 14d; ML, 1 (cross-bred and mixed) at 13d; G over 33, 1 washed at 13½d; MOS, 4 at 11½d; E, 4 scoured and mixed at 12¾d; GH, 1 at 10d; F, 2 greasy at 7½d; RW over 9, 6 at 7¾d; MOS, 1 locks at 8½d; F&Co., 2 greasy at 6d, mixed at 3d; JW, 1 greasy at 6d; JF, 1 mixed at 3d; W in square, 1 greasy at 7¾d; WAL, 10 at 10d; H&Co, 1 mixed at 3½d; WAL, 1 piece at 6½d, 1 locks at 4½d; ML, 4 bundles sheepskins at 7¾d; JTW, 2 at 7½d; TR, 2 at 7½d; WB, 3 at 7½d; WD, 1 at 7½d; EH, 1 at 7½d; JJT, 1 at 6½d; CF&Co., 1 at 3¾d; JH over W, 5 at 6d; TP, 1 at 6d; CFL, 1 at 6½d; GWD, 1 at 7d; circle, 6 at 4½d; OW, 4 at 5d; TD, 11 at 5d; RW over 9, 1 at 5½d; OW, 2 at 5d; S, 1 (pelts) at 3¾d; JB, 1 at 3½d; MLS, 1 at 3¾d; JH over W, 1 at 4d. Private: L, 22 bales scoured (firsts) at 14d, 20 (seconds) at 13d.

By Mr. Barker.—K, 4 bales mixed wool at 4d per lb.; White Rag, 1 pocket skinpieces at 5d; PAS, 2 bales scoured wool at 15¾d; H, 1 pocket washed at 11½d; MSS, 2 bales greasy at 6¾d; W, 1 bale scoured at 15½d; SAIC, 8 bales greasy (seedy) at 6¾d; E, 1 scoured at 12½d. Sheepskins: P&F, 5 bags skinpieces at 1½d; JW, 1 bale sheepskins at 3d; S over P, 1 bundle at 5½d; S over M, 2 at 7d; B, 12 bales at 7½d; F, 14 at 7½d; O, 4 bundles at 5d; SM, 1 at 6½d; M over B, 6 bales at 7½d; HG, 3 bundles (burry) at 6d; Blue Braid, 9 bales at 6½d; BB, 3 bundles at 6d; HHS, 4 bales at 5d; HS, 2 bales at 5½d

By Messrs. Maiden, Hill, and Clark.—Wool: JB, 1 bale greasy at 11d; HSW, 2 at 10½d; RMH, 1 at 10d; O on leather, 4 at 9½d; JIE, 2 at 9½d; CR, 6 at 8½d; MS, 2 at 7½d; JIE, 1 at 9d; CR, 2 at 6d; RK, 3 scoured at 16½d; JIE, 2 clippings at 4d; RK, 2 scoured at 14d; Mantuan Downs, 4 greasy at 8½d; GRLY, 4 pieces, &c., at 4d; Mantuan Downs, 1 greasy (rams') at 8d, 3 pieces at 5½. Sheepskins: CGS, 16 bales at 7¾d; JR, 2 at 7½d; pink tape, 9 at 7½d; Houghton Park, 2 at 7½d; TR, 5 at 7d; CO over S, 7 at 6¾d; CBS, 3 at 5½d; HU, 1 at 6½d; GM over M, 1 at 5½d; rail, 4 at 6½d.; SH, 1 at 4½d.; PC, 4 at 4d.; O on leather, 2 at 6½d.; TB, 3 at 4½d.; RC, 4 at 5½d.; JP in diamond, 1 at 6d.; B, 2 at 4½d.; 1C, 3 at 6d.; GRLY, 20 at 6½d.; C in circle, 3 at 5½d.; CR, 1 at 6d.; RC, 2 at 5½d.; MH&C, 2 at 5½d.; Circle Bar, 1 at 6½d.; GRLY, 1 pelts at 3½d.; MH&C, 4 at 5½d.

By Messrs. Harrison, Jones, and Devlin:—M, 1 bag mixed wool at 2½d; TW, 1 mixed at 6d, 1 greasy at 7d; Co., 1 greasy at 8½d; R, 1 mixed at 8d; MBB, 1 bale broken at 9½d; JKM, 1 mixed at 8½d; GST over B in diamond, 3 at 7¾d; LEW over Cougah, 5 at 9d; 1 (pieces) at 5d; EH and Co., 9 scoured at 13d; BB over R, 9 scoured firsts at 17¾d; ditto, 1 at 16½d; ditto, 11 at 14½d; ditto, 1 crossbred at 15d; ditto, 3 thirds at 13½d; Waddell, Brothers, 17 scoured at 19d; ditto, 7 at 15½d; ditto, 1 crossbred at 17d; ditto, 3 at 13d; M, 2 greasy at 9d; ditto, 1 at 8½d; Doyle, 16 greasy at 8d; ditto, 10 bellies and pieces at 5d, 2 locks at 3½d, 1 greasy and pieces at 5½d. Sheepskins; JR, 1 bundle at 6½d; HRB, 1 at 6½d; No mark, 1 at 7d; JRxS, 1 at 7d; RC, 5 at 6d; MBB, 2 at 7d; A on leather, 5 at 7½d; A, 2 at 7d; JW over M, 4 at 5½d; WF, 1 at 7½d; G, 3 at 7d; COMO, 2 at 7d; MLE, 1 at 3½d, 6 at 6d; Clark Bros, 6 at 5½d; M, 1 at 6½d; McK Bros, 18 at 8d; AMS, 1 at 5d; S, 1 at 6½d; JHD, 4 at 5½d; WHB, 1 at 5½d; HJD, 1 at 4d; TW, 4 at 7d; Spur, 1 at 5½d; DxN, 8 at 5½d; JW, 2 at 5½d; HJD, 2 at 6½d; DXN, 1 at 4½d; AHD, 1 at 6½d; B, 3 at 6½d.

PROPERTY SALES.

Messrs. Richardson and Wrench sold by auction and private contract, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, during the week, the following properties:—

Harbour View-terrace, six houses, John-street, Balmain, £1800—Mr. J. Ridley, purchaser; block of land, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo, having 31 feet frontage, £604 10s—Mr. B. James; house and allotment of land, Arthur-street, Milson's Estate, St. Leonards, £500—Mr. F. Wilson; weatherboard cottage, fronting the Corso, Manly Beach, £250—Mr. J. F. Young; cottage, No. 71, Phelps-street, Surry Hills, £200—Mr. J. Dole; lot 4, section A, Edith estate, Waverley, 40 feet, £100—Mr. R. Cook; lot 15, section 1, Ferndale estate, Enmore, 30 feet to Simmon's-street, £60—Mr. G. Derbyshire; and on the ground, last Saturday afternoon, portion of York's subdivision, fronting Hereford, Cross, and Charles streets, Glebe, as follows:—Five allotments, Hereford-street, at £6 per foot; 15 allotments Charles-street, at from £2 10s to £3 12s per foot, and 1 allotment, fronting Cross-street, at £3 per foot.

Hardie and Gorman report having sold the following properties by public auction and private contract during the past week:—

In the assigned estate of Mr. J. J. Slade, the trustees' right, title, and interest in and to the whole of the properties as advertised, for £850—Mrs. T. Fisher—purchaser; house, situate in Bellevue-street, Albion Estate, Surry Hills, for £625—Mr. J. Rogers; lot 6, section 2, West's Paddock subdivision, Petersham, having 63 feet 8 inches frontage, at £3 5s per foot, £206 18s 4d—Mr. T. Rose; lot 7, section 2, West's Paddock subdivision, Petersham, having 50 feet frontage, at £3 per foot, £150—Mr. J. Rose; block of land containing 5 acres, situate at Springwood Railway Station, at £45 per acre, £225—Mr. E. H. Acres; block of land containing 50 acres 2 roods, situate in the parish of Gordon, at £1 7s 6d per acre, £80—Mr. E. E. Burns; block of land containing 23 acres 2 roods 15 perches, at £1 5s per acre—Mr. F. K. Wilson; block of land, containing 23 acres 2 roods and 16 perches, at £1 4s 6d per acre—Mr. W. Cope; block of land, situate in parish of Gordon, containing 22 acres 36 perches, at £1 5s 6d per acre—Mr. J. Kennedy; block of land containing 22 acres 36 perches, at £1 3s per acre—Mr. E. E. Burns; block of land containing 15 acres 2 roods, situate in the parish of Willoughby, at £2 10s per acre.—Mr. F. Stack; block of land containing in all 168 acres, situate in the Parish of Gordon, at £1 per acre—Mr. J. W. Cliff.

PRODUCE CIRCULARS.

Mort and Co.—Wool: We held a small sale this week, but none of the lots offered were of a character to afford much test of values; the competition was, however, brisk for all submitted. The new clip is coming forward more freely, but no date has yet been fixed for the opening sale. Prospects of a good market here this season continue to be very favourable. At our sale this week the range of values was as follows:—Fleece, 14½d to 20½d; greasy, 7¾d to 10¾d per lb. No scoured lots were offered. Sheepskins were in very brisk demand, and we cleared a heavy catalogue at from 5½d to 8½d per lb., the latter price being for a lot in very light condition. Until the new clip in grease begins to be disposed of, prices for sheepskins will probably remain firm; and we would therefore recommend holders to send to market for immediate realization. Leather: The sales passed off very quietly this week without any material alteration in value. Quotations—Sole, 6½d to 8½d for medium; best, 8¾d to 9½d; harness, 11d to 13d; kip, 13d to 16½d; cow tweed, 20d to 21d; horse tweed, 21d to 22d; calf, 23d to 26d per lb.; basils, 6s to 9s per dozen; bag, 9s to 12s per side. Hides were in only moderate supply for to-day's sales, and prices ruled much the same as previously reported. Heavy salted in good condition are wanted, but light and inferior conditioned are more difficult of sale. We quote—medium to heavy salted at 3½d to 3¾d; light and dry, 3d to 3¾d; faulty conditioned, 2½d to 3d per lb. Horse hides are in fair request, if carefully flayed and well cured, at from 5s to 7s 6d for medium to large, and 3s to 4s for small sizes. Kangaroo skins are in limited demand and market weaker. Quotations—medium to large, 9s to 15s, and small 3s to 5s per dozen. Tallow: There is not much animation in this market either as regards the demand for shipment or for trade purposes. The sale passed off quietly to-day, and quotations may be given as follows:—Beef, fair to good, £27 10s to £29; inferior, £25 to £26; mutton, in short supply, £30 to £32 per ton. Hair: The quantity offered was small, with a somewhat better demand; horse tail is worth 13½d to 15d; mixed, 9d to 12d per lb. Horns and shankbones sell readily at from 20s to 30s per 100 for former, if in sound condition, and 5s to 8s 6d for latter.—October 4.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin.—Wool: 890 bales have been offered at auction this week, but only 182 bales were sold under the hammer. The parcels of the new clip that have been submitted to auction were burry and seedy, and not well grown, and the competition for these was anything but good, most of the lots had to be held over. There was a good attendance of buyers, and for good grown and free wools we feel sure there will be a strong demand. The sales now being held in London are expected to close on the 7th instant, and we hope that our next cablegram will quote a firmer market. No good wools were catalogued this week; the prices obtained in this market this week were—Greasy, fair quality, 9d to 11d; medium and seedy, 6½d to 8d. Fleece—Only 1 lot sold, 20½d scoured fair, 18d to 22½d low and medium. Sheepskins: The competition at this week's sales was very keen, and prices realized must be considered the best this season. We got as high as 8d for one parcel of 18 bundles and proportionate good values for 32 other lots in our catalogue. Prices—Best, 7d to 8d; 1 small lot lambskins, very light, 8½d; medium, 5½d to 6½d; short wool and burry lots, 2d to 4½d. Tallow: 236 casks offered, 18 sold. Nothing doing in this line, the continued low state of the English market preventing business. Quotations—Mutton, £30 to £31; beef, £28 to £30; station, £26 to £28. Hides: 2757 offered, 2180 sold. A rather short supply this week caused prices to be a little brisker, but at no advance. The sales ranged—Extra heavy, 3½d to 3¾d; heavy, 3½d to 3¾d; medium, 3d to 3½d; light, 3d to 3¼d. Leather: The attendance at Tuesday's sales was very small, and consequently little business was done. Sole and harness especially, very dull. Quotations—Sole, best, 9½d to 11d; medium, 8½d to 9½d; light, 7½d to 8d; kip, best, 17d to 18d; medium, 15d to 16d; cow tweed, 18d to 23d; horse tweed, 21d to 25d; bag, 11s to 14s; bridle, 11s to 13s; harness, 11d to 13½d; calf, 24d to 30d. Tin Ore: Little or no business has been done in ore this week, and smelters will only purchase at very low figures, the prospects of the market being anything but bright. Tin: No cablegram from London for several days; the last quoted no change in the market, and stock very heavy. This has not tended to increase speculation here. We have not heard of any sales during the week.—October 4.

Maiden, Hill, and Clark.—Wool: The arrivals up to date are not yet of sufficient magnitude to form the opening sale of the season. A few parcels in the grease were offered, and realised very satisfactory prices, while scoured descriptions were only to be quitted at reduced rates. We anticipate that enough of the new clip will be forward to form an opening sale in a week or so. One line of greasy on our catalogue realised 11d, and other lots in proportion to quality, &c. Sheepskins: We offered a fair quantity on Thursday, and found competition as keen as at any sale during the off season, one line on our catalogue realising 7¾d. We do not, however, expect such high prices to continue as the new clip comes forward. A great many skins forward are much affected with seed and burr, which are very difficult to dispose of unless at great reductions in prices. Present quotations are—For full-woolled and free, 6d to 7d; medium growth, 5½d to 6d; short, 4½d to 5½d; pelts, 2½d to 3½d per lb. Hides: The supply is again short, but still found sufficient for the demand; the attendance of buyers was small, and prices, if anything, showed a weaker tendency on all descriptions. Horsehides were scarce and sold fairly. Yearlings in good request, but calf are very much depressed. Quotations are—Extreme heavies, 4½d to 4¾d; heavies, 3d to 3½d; light weights, 3d to 3½d; dry, 1½d to 2d per lb.; horsehides, 3s to 5s; yearlings, 3s to 5s; calf, 9d to 1s 6d each; kangaroo skins, 4s to 12s per dozen. Leather: No improvement whatever can be quoted in leather. Sole still remains very depressed; the market is glutted with harness, for which reduced prices have to be accepted; kip and tweed realise fair prices; bag is dull, bridle in moderate supply and fair demand. We quote—Sole, 6½d to 8½d; kip, 14d to 16d; calf, 21d to 24d; yearling, 18d to 22d; harness, 11d to 12½d per lb.; bag, 8s to 10s 6d; bridle, 10s to 11s per side. Tallow: No improvement noticeable in value, shippers not showing much inclination to operate except at still further reductions upon late ruling rates. Quotations are—Beef, £25 to £29; mutton, £30 to £31 per ton. Hair: Supply short, and competition good, at for horse tail 12d to 14d; mane, 8d to 10d; mixed, 10d to 12d; cow, 6d to 7d for stumps; and 9d to 11d for washed. Horns and Bones: All forward sold at from 15s to 30s per 100 for horns, and £4 to £12 10s per ton for bones, the latter price being obtained by us for a very prime lot of bones. Beeswax: In short supply, and market firm at from 12d to 13d per lb., according to quality.—October 4.

STOCK AND STATION CIRCULARS.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin.—Stations: Owing to prospects of a good season throughout the colony, there have been many inquiries for station properties. We would call attention to our advertisements of stations for sale under the hammer during this and next month. Fat Cattle: 1041 yarded for the week. Of this number 451 head were penned for Monday's market, and the quality, with one or two exceptions, surpassed anything offered in the Homebush Yards for many years past. This we attribute to the drooping season in and around the Murrumbidgee, and the great facilities offered by the iron horse, as cattle loaded at North Wagga Wagga on Wednesday morning now reach our sale yards in time for Thursday's market. The opening sales of Monday, notwithstanding we had a good attendance of both town and country buyers, showed a slight decline on last week's quotations. We had also the presence of the manager of the Sydney Meat Company, and although prices would not permit of his buying largely, the fact of his works being in operation helped the market considerably, and cannot be too highly supported by graziers, as an outlet for our surplus stock. On Thursday a full supply came forward, both by rail and road, and the slight fall of Monday was more noticeable, and prime beef did not realise more than 25s per 100 lbs.; medium, 21s. We sold 96 bullocks (J. Strickland's), £9 3s 6d; 60 ditto P. (H. Osborne's), £7 3s; 100 mixed (J. Robinson's, £7 1s; 90 bullocks (M'Millan Co.,'s), £8 2s 7d; calves (J. Jenkins's), from 29s to 45s. Fat Sheep: 7170 penned, being fewer than for some weeks past, but in addition to this the carcase butchers have had large numbers forward from outside purchases made in Riverina. In fact, our market is almost entirely supplied from Southern district. We quote 56 lbs. worth 14s 6d, 50 lbs. 12s to 12s 6d, and lighter weights in proportion. We sold—3000 wethers (H. and C. Douglas's), outside, 12s 6d; 1404 ewes (Gilchrist, Watt, and Co.'s; 553 wethers (ditto); 271 wethers (rail), to 15s 2d; wethers (Bolton's); lambs (ditto). Store Cattle: The inquiry for good fattening stores is noticeably increasing, and as the season advances we anticipate a brisk demand. We have a new lot now under offer, and hope to report sale of same. Store Sheep: Good framed shorn wethers and young ewes could be placed at satisfactory figures.

Ross and Hipgrave, report—Stations: No great improvement in the demand for station property is yet noticeable, although there are many buyers in the market for really good investments, the difference between vendors' and buyers' value of properties prevents any business of importance from being transacted. We are daily expecting to hear of the sale of a sheep station that we are now having inspected. Good unstocked fattening country is in demand, and we could readily place some at a satisfactory figure. Fat Cattle: Over 1000 yarded for the week, and the quality, with one or two exceptions, was first-class; and although there was a good attendance at the sales, both on Monday and Thursday, prices showed a decline on last week's quotations. Quotations—Prime, 23s per 100 lbs; medium, 21s. Fat Sheep: Only 7000 odd penned, being the shortest supply for some weeks past, and prices remain about the same as last week. Quotations—56lb wethers, 14s 6d; 50 lb, 12s 6d; and lighter weights in proportion. Store Cattle: Market still remains very inactive. Buyers not coming to purchase at present. Should the favourable weather that we have been blessed with for some weeks past only continue, a good business in this description of stock will be done about the close of the year. Store Sheep: There are many inquiries for good young wethers with wool on, but vendors prefer procuring the clip before selling. We have had also inquiries for the same off the shears, and are negotiating for some large lots at a most satisfactory price. We have also buyers for good young ewes off the shears.—October 4.

P. N. Trebeck.—Stations: There is nothing new to report this week. Owners of stations are busy shearing, and until the clip is secured there will probably be but little business done. I have been negotiating for the sale of some sheep stations in our Western districts, but there is much difficulty in bringing sales to a close. I have not had any inquiries for cattle stations, as the preference is now given by capitalists to sheep properties. Store Cattle: No sales of importance have been reported. Purchasers are expecting a concession of from 5s to 10s on late rates, and vendors are inclined to accept the reduction, but no business has resulted. The price for mixed ages and equal sexes, 1 to 5 years, is 60s per head; bullocks, £3 10s to £3 15s; extra good, to £4 per head. Store Sheep: I have had inquiries for good wethers, both in fleece and shorn. The former are worth 9s 6d per head and I note a sale of 10,000 of the latter at 6s 6d per head. Fat Cattle: About the usual supply. Although the quality forward was good and also the Meat Preserving Company were buyers, prices showed a decline on last week's rates at the close of the market. The best yards realised up to 73s per 100 lbs., and medium from 20s to 21s per 100 lbs. Fat Sheep: About 7500 penned. Notwithstanding the supply this week was short, prices were no firmer, which may be accounted for by the carcase butchers having made large outside purchases. Best pens realised up to 14s 6d, and medium from 11s to 12s 6d per head.—October 4.

Brunker, Wolfe, and Badgery.—Stations: There is a better demand, but until a better settlement of the land question is accomplished and money becomes easier there will be few extensive transactions. Fat Cattle: The bulk of those forward this week have come by train from the south country, of excellent quality, and in numbers sufficient for a fair supply. Prices have not shown any marked decline, but as Melbourne market is very low we may naturally look for a rush of cattle here, and lower prices. Our sales this week have been the highest either at per head or per 100 lbs, and consist of 16 bullocks (M'Elhone's, from Tarcutta), at £10 7s 6d; 51 cows (ditto ditto), at £9 2s; 28 bullocks (ditto), at £8 17s; 1 cow, £10 6s; 17 mixed, light (Cooper's), £6 16s; and quote best drafts bullocks, £8 10s to £9; ditto ditto cows, £7 10s to £8 10s; medium bullocks, £7 10s to £8; ditto cows, £5 10s to £6 10s, or 20s to 22s 6d per 100 lbs. Fat Sheep: The market has held pretty good, but must decline shortly. Quotations—Best wethers, 15s; medium, 12s 6d; inferior, 10s to 11s. Our sales have been 450 wethers (Halloran's), at 13s 6d; 300 (Hillars'), 15s to 15s 2d; 345 (Yarrabee's), 16s 4d to 16s 5d. These are by far the highest prices obtained this week. Fat calves: Market fairly supplied, and good quality sold well. We sold 21 (Cooper's) at £3 10s, being the highest average for years. Fat lambs: Only a moderate supply forward, and good prices ruling. About the highest average is 15s 9d to 16s 6d, obtained by us for Mr. Loder's 20. Store Cattle: There is a better demand now for all sorts, and we have sold about 300 head at £4 to £5 for bullocks, £2 10s to £3 15s for cows. Store Sheep: No sales of importance this week, and prices will not be fairly fixed till shearing is quite over. Horses: Really good draught stock are selling well, and there is a better demand for all sorts. We have sold over 100 head at Maitland, and will yard some grand colts here next week. Houses and land: We have sold several allotments at Bingera for £3200, and the Cliffden Estate for £4200.—October 4.

Sullivan and Simpson.—Stations: We have had a few inquiries this week for these investments, but purchasers are extremely cautious about buying any stations that are likely to be selected upon, thus very few properties changing hands. Freehold estates are now more inquired for than usual. Fat Cattle: The supply quite up to trade requirements, viz., about 1100, the majority being in fine condition. On both sale days the trade was well represented, but, taking the sales for the week, they were slightly easier compared to last week's rates, and it is quite impossible now to say what the market will be from week to week owing to the railway extending so far into the interior, and as a proof of it every beast that was offered for sale on Monday came by train. We quote prime pens of bullocks worth 23s to 24s per 100 lbs.; fair to good, 20s to 21s. These prices are considerably higher than those now ruling in Melbourne. Fat Sheep: The number that passed through the yards this week was much less than usual; though the wholesale men had some consignments direct to themselves. Those that were sold in pens were, with few exceptions, the property of the wholesale butchers, and as the country buyers were bare of supplies they had to give extreme rates for the small lots they had to purchase. Of course if a large flock or two had been put into the market prices would have receded, but the wholesale men were determined to keep up the market, and bought all that were in and near to hand, so that they could get any price they liked for a few hundred. We quote best merino wethers worth 14s by the flock, and in small lots of twenty-five up to one hundred 15s 6d to 16s. Our sales this week have been 2487, in one flock, on account of Messrs. Macleay and Clarke, at an average of 13s 7½d per head all round. Store Stock: There are now some inquiries for wethers of fattening ages, for delivery after shearing, but prices have not yet been established. Quotations therefore nominal.—October 4.

G. M. Pitt and Son.—Stations: Business under this heading, remains very dull; buyers seem very scarce, and any that are in want of investments are very difficult to please. The tightness of the money market is no doubt the cause of the depression, and we do not look for any great revival till money gets cheaper. Fat Cattle: The supply this week was fully equal to requirements, and the market on the whole ruled slightly lower than last week. The quality of those offered was generally from good to prime, two drafts of cows from the Murrumbidgee being superior to anything ever seen at the Homebush Yards. Many of these cows were from 900 lbs. to 1000 lbs., and 170 lbs. of loose fat was taken out of one of them on Tuesday last at the abattoirs. We quote—Best beef worth 23s per 100 lbs.; fair to good, from 20s to 22s per 100 lbs. Our sales have been 100 cows from Groongal station, Murrumbidgee, at £8 19s; 181 bullocks, Thomas Cook's, from the Hunter, at £8 8s 6d. Fat Sheep: In consequence of a very short supply there was a rise in the fat sheep market this week of from 1s to 2s a head, a small lot of 56-lb. wethers being sold on Monday at 16s 4d. This improvement can only be looked upon as temporary, as prime wethers are being offered in Riverina at from 5s to 7s 6d per head, and the trade are now purchasing there at these prices. We quote 56-lb. wethers worth 15s; 48-lb., 13s. Our sales have been—1850 shorn wethers, (W. F. Buchanan's), from Warrana, by road, at 8s 6d; 514 wethers, wool on, at from 12s 6d to 13s 1d; 270 wethers at 13s, 250 ditto at 14s, 190 ditto (W. Webb's) at 13s 1d. Store Sheep: There is a good demand, but very few offering. We have buyers for any number of breeding ewes and store wethers.—October 4.

George Kiss reports the horse market badly supplied with useful horses the past week. At the Bazaar the following are amongst the highest prices obtained:—Mr. W. Ray, a draught colt, £32; Mr. Kennedy, a saddle horse, £31 10s; Mr. R. C. Want, a cream gelding, £20; Mr. Harris, a harness horse, £35; Mr. J. Starkey, a harness horse, £19 10s. Also, a number of light horses, from £5 to £15. At the Camperdown Yards I sold 17 light horses for Mr. T. Ross, at an average of £6 12s; for Mr. Mackay, 43 light horses, averaging £5 16s 6d; for Mr. Somers, 11 light horses, averaging £5 15s.—October 3.

William Inglis.—Fat Cattle: The market this week has been plentifully supplied, and nearly all yarded were of prime quality. The prices ranged from 21s to 24s per 100 lbs. The best lot to hand was 139 head bullocks, from the Riverina district (Dunn and M'Kinnon's), for which I obtained from £7 5s to £10 13s. I also sold 128 paddock-fed cattle (C. and H. Dunn's), from the Oaks, £4 8s to £7 18s; and at my Sydney yards, 21 head, from £4 3s to £8. Sheep: On Monday there was but little difference from last week, but to-day prices were again firmer, best wethers bringing up to 16s. Milch Cows: The sale was very dull, and those to hand were in most cases of medium quality. I sold 25 from £4 12s 6d to £10. Calves: The supply was small, probably in consequence of the fine weather last week, and to-day the sale was a much better one. I sold 25, from 11s 6d to 51s. Lambs: There is a fair demand for good ones. I sold 120 (J. H. Stewart's), 9s to 11s 6d and 16 (T. Pearse's), 14s to 16s. Pigs: A fair supply were sent down. I sold 111, from 11s 6d to 59s. Horses: Heavy draught are selling according to quality, from £20 to £40; light harness horses, which are in great demand, especially those suitable for omnibuses, from £8 to £18. I sold, at Camperdown, 15 head, very light, from £3 5s to £14.—October 3.

SYDNEY PRODUCE PRICES CURRENT.

Flour is in good demand. Bran, however, is dull. Butter is very dull. Onions are in good demand. Lucerne is dull. The quotations are as follows:—

The Mills.—Fine flour, ton of 2000 lbs, £12 10s to £12 15s; seconds, £10 10s to £11 10s. Bran (per bushel), 1s 4d to 1s 5d.

Butcher's Meat.—Beef (per lb.), 2d to 2½d; mutton, 1½d to 2d; pork, 4d to 5d; veal, 3d to 4d; lamb (per quarter), 3s to 4s.

Poultry.—Fowls (per couple), 3s to 4s; ducks, 4s to 5s 6d; wild ducks, 4s; teal, 1s 6d; geese, 6s to 8s; turkeys, 7s to 16s; pigeons, 1s 4d to 1s 6d; rabbits, 2s to 2s 6d; roasting pigs (each), 6s to 10s.

Dairy Produce.—Butter (per lb.), 5d to 6d; cheese, 5d to 8d; bacon, 5d to 7d; lard, 4½d to 6d; eggs (per dozen), 10d to 1s.

Forage.—Lucerne, £3 5s to £3 15s; oaten, £5 10s to £6 10s; maize (per bushel), 4s to 4s 2d; oats, 4s 3d; barley, 5s; wheat (Adelaide), 5s; New Zealand, 5s 3d to 5s 4d.

Honey (per lb.), 6d to 9d.

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL TIMBER.

Messrs. John Taylor and Co. report the following Sydney prices current of foreign and colonial timber wholesale and retail:—Cedar, in log, 20s to 25s per 100 feet superficial; very scarce, and quality inferior. Pine—Richmond River logs at 7s 6d to 8s 6d per 100 feet superficial, in good demand. Hardwood, wholesale, assorted cargoes of good quality are in demand at 12s to 13s per 100 feet superficial. Hardwood logs at 8s to 9s per 100 feet superficial. Retail prices: Cedar—¼-inch, 4½d; ⅜-inch, 5½d; 1-inch, 6d; 1¼-inch, 7½; 1½-inch, 8¼d; 1¾-inch, 9½d; 2-inch and over, 10d per foot superficial in full—the above is up to 16 inches wide; over that width, price extra.—Colonial pine—½-inch boards, 13s 6d; ⅝-inch, 15s 6d; 1-inch and over 17s 6d per 1000 feet superficial; over 18 inches 2s per 100 feet extra; ⅝-inch T. and G. pine, 16s; ¾-inch, 18s; 1-inch, 20s per 100 feet superficial; Maryborough pine, ½-inch, 20s; ¾-inch, 22s; 1 inch and over 24s per 100 feet superficial, up to 18 inches—over that width 2s per 100 feet extra, to 24 inches. American clear pine, 35s per 100 feet superficial. Sugar pine, equal to clear pine, 28s per 100 feet superficial. Oregon pine—1½-inch, 2-inch, 3-inch, and 4-inch deals, 20s per 100 feet superficial; 6 x 1 and 6 x 1½ T. and G. Oregon, 24s per 100 superficial. New Zealand kauri from 22s to 28s per 100 feet superficial. Hardwood—3 x 2, 8s 6d; 4 x 2½, 13s; 5 x 2½, 17s; 6 x 2½, 17s 6d per 101 feet run, superficial sizes, 17s per 100 feet. Palings, hardwood—5 feet, 17s per 100; 6 feet, 19s per 100. Posts and rails, 100s per 100 pieces. Hobart Town palings—5 feet, 17s; 6 feet, 19s per 100. At present the market is well supplied with foreign and colonial timber, and the building trades on the whole busy, and a demand for hardwood timber of sizes.

SYDNEY LABOUR MARKET.

J. C. Glue reports a fair demand for labour for town and country. The supply, with few exceptions, meets requirements. Domestic female servants, who are really useful, are scarce. The Smyrna and Hawkesbury immigrants are now pretty well hired off. The next ship (La Hogue) may be expected in about ten days. Engagements have been made, with board and lodging per annum—married couples, £60, £70; farming men, £30, £35, £40; dairymen, £35, £40; gardeners, £40, £52; grooms, £40, £52; men cooks, £40, £65; waiters, £78; draughtsmen, £104; useful lads for farms, £20, £26; domestic female servants—cooks, £40, £45, £52; laundresses, £40; house and parlour maids, £32, nurses, £26, £34; general servants, £26, £32; governesses, £30, £40.—October 4.

BONDED STOCKS.

Sydney, Friday, October 4, 1878.

Description.	Stock on hand, Sept. 27, 1878.	Received into Stock.	Deliver'd for Home Consumpt'n	Deliver'd for Export'n	Stock on hand, Oct. 4, 1878.
Rum: galls.					
West India	89,329	288	3,072	282	86,263
Queensland	13,108	...	574	...	12,534
Foreign	195	...	...	...	195
All other Spirits	3,449	21	643	6	2,821
Brandy	223,488	9,950	5,733	2,505	225,200
Geneva	95,855	1,873	3,235	1,937	92,556
Whisky	54,018	2,827	1,629	444	54,772
Liqueurs	4,373	...	40	6	4,327
Gin	6,584	...	147	7	6,430
Wine	221,880	...	2,612	413	218,855
Tobacco, man'ft'd:					
Half-tierces	63	...	...	...	63
Lbs.	19,436	...	...	...	19,436
Qr.-tierces	713	...	12	11	690
Lbs.	163,777	...	2607	2,108	159,062
¼-boxes & bxs	620	...	...	8	612
Lbs.	54,418	...	...	956	53,462
Cases	797	...	11	24	762
Lbs.	172,415	...	2060	4,723	165,632
Repackages—Packages	85	...	...	11	74
Lbs.	7,093	...	...	449	6,644
Leaf: Hds. and Csks.	1,005	...	29	...	*976
Lbs.	1,196,491	...	31,702	...	*1,164,789
Cases	*24	...	...	...	*24
Lbs.	6,526	...	...	...	*6,526
Bales	33	...	...	...	33
Lbs.	4,196	...	...	...	4,196
Cigars: Cases	769	...	10	1	758
Lbs.	85,863	...	1,163	103	84,597
Re-packages—Packages	48	...	2	6	40
Lbs.	2,263	...	135	57	2,071
Snuff: Packages	...	...	...	...	...
Lbs.	...	...	...	...	...
Tea: Lbs.	1,594,650	133,860	38,987	5,760	1,683,763
Chicory: Lbs.	90,947	...	...	5,600	85,347
Opium: Lbs.	1,549	184	...	47	1,318
Kerosene Oil: Gallons	63,866	...	800	1,360	61,706

Sugar.—Stock on hand, September 27, 1559 tons 15 cwt. 2 qrs.; received into stock, 47 tons 10 cwt. 1 qr.; delivered for home consumption, +345 tons 10 cwt. 2 qrs.; delivered for exportation, 11 cwt. 2 qrs.; stock on hand, October 4, 1261 tons 3 cwt. 3 qrs.

Coffee.—Stock on hand, September 27, 94 tons 15 cwt. 1 qr.; received into stock, nil; delivered for home consumption, 5 tons 3 cwt. 1 qr.; delivered for exportation, 1 ton 12 cwt. 2 qrs.; stock on hand, October 4, 87 tons 19 cwt. 1 qr.

* 365 casks 3 cases, entries passed for bond, but not yet weighed.
+ 170 tons 17 cwt. 3 qrs. of the above removed to Pyrmont Refinery.

COUNTRY NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

ARMIDALE, Sept. 28.

During the past fortnight we have had nice warm days, with heavy dews and few slight frosts at night; and for the last three or four days there has been a succession of thunderstorms, which have left us nothing more to wish for regarding the weather. The country looks like a barley field, and crops of every kind could not be surpassed in appearance; and if we escape late frosts the quantity of fruit this year will be enormous, as the orchards and fruit trees of all descriptions are as thickly covered with blossoms or young fruit as possible.

Lambing has now fully commenced all over the district, and for so far the results are most satisfactory, the lambs being very strong, and, as there is an abundance of nice young grass and plenty of water for the mothers, we may confidently expect a very high average increase. Many owners who have been unable to dispose of their surplus stock during the past two years have been obliged to overdraw heavily from the banks, but we are having such a splendid season that they now fondly hope to get a ready and profitable market, which would enable them to reduce their accumulated liabilities, and get clear of the 9 and 10 per cent. rates of interest recently imposed by all the banks, which with another bad season would have meant utter ruin to many supposed to be wealthy squatters. We have had quite an unusual quantity of thunder and lightning lately.

On Thursday Henry Morgan was killed, and yesterday a valuable milch cow was also killed, by lightning; and another cow on the previous day, which had been struck, went quite mad, and had to be destroyed. Fifteen or sixteen posts of a sawn timber fence, enclosing the cricket ground, were all more or less shattered. It is supposed the lightning followed a wire which formed part of the fence. All these accidents occurring on succeeding days, near the centre of the town, have with very good reason caused many people, especially women and children, to be dreadfully frightened. As near as I can remember, it is about twenty-four years since a fatal accident from lightning occurred in Armidale before. On that occasion two men were killed, and one died from the effects of the shock, after being imbecile for several years.

Every one thought that the vexatious bridge question had at length been finally settled by the action of the Government in accepting tenders for its erection in Marsh-street; but a telegram has just been received from the Minister for Works staying all further proceedings for the present, which has had the effect of again raising the hopes of the Faulkner-street residents to the highest pitch. Should the Government consider it advisable to reconsider the question, the simple and only way to satisfy all parties would be to have the different sites inspected and reported on by a competent officer from Sydney, who should be a perfect stranger, and not subject to any undue influence. I noticed a telegram in the *Herald* a few days ago from Armidale, stating that the decision of the Government to erect the bridge in Marsh-street had given great dissatisfaction to the leading inhabitants. As I happen to be perfectly disinterested in the matter, I think it but justice to all parties to say that this telegram is calculated, to a certain extent, to mislead the public, as it is an indisputable fact that many of the most influential and wealthy residents, together with a large portion of the general public, are strongly and bitterly opposed to having the bridge removed from the present site in Marsh-street, where it was erected many years ago by public subscriptions.

We have been well off for amusements recently, as on last Saturday night we had a concert in the Town Hall, which was well patronized, though the entertainment was not quite so good as those our amateurs usually provide us with. Every night this week the champion skater, Mr. Taylor, has had very fair houses; and for next week we are promised the Carandinis, together with St. Leon's Circus.

I am pleased to state that, as soon as the matter was fairly placed before the Colonial Secretary, he at once replaced Armidale on the list of polling-places for the Northern gold-fields, notwithstanding the recommendations of a few individuals to have it cancelled.

At a land court of inquiry, held before the Commissioner, Mr. Sydney Blythe, at Armidale, on 18th September, the following amusing facts were brought out in evidence, which, to a thinking mind, must suggest many things in reference to the administration of the present land laws:—The inspector of conditional purchases reported that he had visited a selection on 13th June last, and, found it fully improved and resided on by the selector, his wife, and family. This same selector deposed that he had never resided on the selection, and was not married at the date mentioned; and, further, that he was not improving the selection, and had given the Government notice of abandonment in April last, just two months before the supposed visit of the inspector.

The contractor for the erection of the building a tower necessary for the town clock has at length commenced operations; and as soon as he shall have completed his portion of the work, the maker of the clock will accompany it from Sydney for the purpose of fixing it in its place. And this clock will be an inestimable boon to the public, as at present it is almost impossible to ascertain the correct time in Armidale.

A lad, aged eleven years, son of Mr. Donald M'Donald, of Woolamumbi, while shepherding a flock of sheep in the bush, was killed by a dead tree, which he had been chopping at, falling on him. It is only a couple of months since another lad was killed, close to Armidale, in a precisely similar manner. It is a wonder parents will not take warning, and prevent their children from getting axes or tomahawks to cut down trees.

We have had a flying visit from Mr. Wilkinson, the Government Geologist, and Mr. Harrie Wood, Under-Secretary for Mines. Their business, I understand, was to decide on several applications made from here for a portion of the £5000 voted for prospecting purposes, and I hear they have expressed very favourable opinions about some of the ground inspected. And it is hoped and expected that at least two of the applicants will be successful.

The most unique method of taking revenge on a banking institution for refusing an overdraft I have heard of is being extensively carried out in Armidale, in the following manner:—All the notes obtainable issued by the obnoxious bank are procured, and after being torn into shreds, just leaving the numbers whole, they are paid away to country and other unsuspecting people, who, of course, cannot pay them away, and must bring them to the bank to get exchanged for sound ones. I have seen a large pile of notes mutilated as described; and although the bank officers know perfectly well who the guilty parties are, there seems to be a difficulty in reaching them with the law, which is much to be regretted by the public as well as by the bank, as such conduct deserves to be severely punished, and the public would gladly denounce the perpetrators.

A sale of allotments in the town of Uralla was held at the Armidale Police Office on Wednesday last, and a large number of the Uralla people were present, hoping no doubt to secure the land at something like former prices, but they had evidently forgotten about the railway, as they very soon discovered when lots which a year ago would most likely have been passed at the upset price of £8 per acre were quickly run up to £88 per acre. And with three or four exceptions, all the lots were knocked down to Sydney land-sharks or speculators, to the utter astonishment of the Uralla would-be purchasers; and the only consolation left to them was to see that a few Armidale land-sharks made the Sydney land-sharks pay about a hundred per cent. more than they would otherwise have had to do. However, I suppose it is all right, as the Government reaped the benefit.

MUDGEE, Oct. 1.

We have been again blessed with glorious weather during the past week. Once or twice there were appearances of a change, but they passed off. Washing and shearing operations are being vigorously carried on, and better weather for such purposes could not possibly be desired. At most of the stations lambing is not yet concluded. Messrs. F. and A. Cox have finished, their returns being above 100 per cent. from one flock of stud sheep, and 95 from a second. From their ordinary sheep they received an average of 85 per cent. These returns are very good, and from the stud sheep may be said to be first-class. Taken all round, the lambing average in the district this year is likely to be very good. The farmers in our midst are also very busy, and a good deal of ploughing for the corn crop is being done. Herbage of all sorts has taken a splendid spring since the late rains, and stock of all kinds are commencing to look well. Appearances at present indicate a favourable and fruitful spring.

Mining matters in the district seem to be looking up. On last Saturday afternoon a specimen weighing 75 ounces, and containing fully 50 ounces of gold, was found near the surface at Hargraves. The discovery was made by a fossicker in anything but good circumstances, and who, it need hardly be added, was greatly rejoiced at his day's work. The find was made near the big reef, at the back of the town, and close to the spot where the large nugget was found in 1851. Some very fair gold has also been obtained during the week in Mr. Cadell's Mullamuddy paddocks, not far from the spot the 15 oz. specimen, reported in last week's *Herald*, was found. From Pipeclay Creek very fair accounts of payable gold being obtained from several claims are also to hand. Besides these, Mr. Warden Browne has reported favourably of some alluvial ground recently opened up on Campbell's Creek, near Windeyer, so that altogether the district may be said to be looking up somewhat as regards mining matters.

Recent official statistics give the number of Chinese residing in the Hargraves district as 550. Of these 405 are engaged in mining. Out of the whole 550 one only is married, while two others are living in an unmarried state with European women. The returns further show there are 234 opium-smokers, 150 gamblers, and 15 drunkards. If these returns are correct, and I believe they are tolerably so, they do not speak very favourably as to the morality of the people they refer to.

On last Friday Mr. W. J. Henningham, for several years past editor of the *Mudgee Times* and coroner for the district, left for Sydney, where I believe it is his intention in future to reside. Several friends assembled at the Royal Hotel corner, where Cobb and Co.'s coach starts from, to bid him good-bye, and wish him prosperity at his new home—a wish that will be very generally joined in by the inhabitants of this district. In connection with the above it may be added that the *Mudgee Times* has ceased to exist.

Mr. R. H. D. White, manager of the Bank of New South Wales here, who for a week or two back has been unwell, and for a short time something like dangerously so, has now recovered, and is enabled to attend to his usual duties.

The town has been remarkably dull during the week, though there has been more than usual traffic through it; a good many teams loaded with wool passing through en route for Wallerawang, and a good many teams also arriving from that place, with supplies for here and other localities further up-country. One cause of the present dulness is that all the labouring population who can leave are at present away at the different stations, engaged washing and shearing. The recent dull times have also to a great extent suspended building operations, though at present there is some little prospect of a revival in this respect.

The local stock passings have been but few recently. 200 fat cattle (Kennedy, Brothers') are reported as approaching, en route for Sydney, S. Kennedy in charge. The recent Coolah passings have been 220 fat cattle (Byrnes's) for Maitland, owner in charge.

There is no alteration to report in the fat cattle market. Best beef, for which there is a fair demand, is worth, say, 23s. per 100 lbs., with other qualities from about 17s. upwards. The fat sheep market is also without change, fair wethers being worth from 10s. to 12s. For store stock, both cattle and sheep, there is an improved demand, though in most instances vendors' figures are too high for much business to be done. Mr. W. C. Reynolds, in conjunction with a Forbes firm, reports the sale, on account of the Hon. G. H. Cox, of 1000 maiden ewes, at 15s., and one stud ram at £75; Mr. Reginald Dowling, of Forbes, being the purchaser.

PARRAMATTA, October 3.

On Thursday, the 26th September, Mr. W. Burns gave a lecture "On the early translation of the English Bible," in the Centenary School-room, Church-street. There was a good attendance, and the lecture was well received. A vote of thanks was given to the lecturer, and at the close a collection was made for the testimonial to be presented to the Rev. Dr. Barry. The Rev. J. D. Murray occupied the chair.

The new Post-office in Church-street is beginning to show the style of building about to be erected. So far as the work has progressed, the contractors appear to have executed their task in a highly satisfactory manner; and when finished, the town will receive a handsome ornament in the structure under erection.

At Castle Hill, on the 1st instant, in getting out of a cart, one Samuel Kentwell fell, and through the fall his left leg snapped in two places. The man was conveyed to his home, and the leg subsequently set by Dr. Brown, but the case is a very nasty one.

Mr. John Taylor reports that at his weekly sale of stock, &c., held at his yards, the demand for good horses on the 2nd instant was far greater than the supply. The milch cows brought forward were not up to their usual mark, scarcity of feed and other causes operating just now on the conditions of all cows in the neighbourhood. The improvements lately made to the yards will afford sellers an excellent opportunity of having their stock well shown and fairly sold, and as the season advances when beasts of all kinds assume a better appearance, there is no doubt but the yards will become a feature of Parramatta.

Last Saturday was very cold, since then the weather has been warm and cheerful. There are, however, dull, leaden clouds floating about which suggest more rain or wind.

PORT MACQUARIE, Sept. 30.

The weather has been very unsettled lately, the last two days more like midwinter than the weather we might expect this time of the year. We have had very cold nights, with frequent showers and heavy thunderstorms, particularly on Friday.

Stations	W'th'r	Max	Min	Rain
Tenterf'ld	g	77	44	0
Grafton	o	76	62	0
Inverell	b	79	45	0
Bourke	b	97	58	0
Narrabri	b	94	60	0
Armidale	o	82	38	0
Gunnedah	..	..	..	..
Tamworth	..	..	..	..
P. Macq'rie	m	77	56	0
Murr'undi	b	75	45	0
Cassilis	b	87	52	0
Mus'brook	b	90	49	0
Dubbo	b	81	55	0
Mudgee	b	87	..	0
Maitland	b	..	53	0
Newcastle	b	81	45	0
Orange	b	72	42	0
Bathurst	b	80	42	0
Mt Victoria	b	75	37	0
Forbes	b	74	58	0
Blacktown	c	87	45	0
Sydney	b	84	51	0
Wentw'th	..	..	..	..
Young	b	76	47	0
Woll'gong	b	72	51	0
Moss Vale	u	70	42	0
Euston	c	78	48	0
Goulburn	b	80	42	0
Wagga	b	84	..	0
Cape Geo.	b	66	54	0
Queanb'an	c	80	47	0
Deniliquin	b	78	37	0
Albury	b	73	39	0
Bodalla	b	75	39	0
Cooma	b	83	30	0
Eden	b	66	46	0
Gabo Isld.	b	60	49	0



EXPLANATION.

16 29·90 F 55, for example, reads: Fine, wind north, 16 miles per hour; barometer 29·90, falling; temperature 55°.

Wind Scale.—13 miles—light breeze; 23—moderate breeze; 34—fresh breeze; 48—gale; 56—strong gale; 65—whole gale; 75—storm; 90—hurricane.

State of Weather.—b—blue sky; c—detached clouds; d—drizzling rain; f—fog; g—gloomy, dark; h—hail; l—lightning; m—misty, hazy; n—frost; o—overcast; p—passing showers; q—squally; r—rain; s—snow; t—thunder; u—threatening; v—air very clear.

There is a very heavy sea along the coast, and on the bar—in fact, the heaviest sea we have had for many years. Yesterday we had one of the highest tides which have been seen here for some time, something like what has occurred when there has been a strong fresh in the river, and the water is backed up by a strong easterly gale. The sea came over the new wall built, leading from the wharf, causing some slight damage to the new embankment, and washing through the slabs caused the sand to be carried away.

On Friday night during a strong gale, the schooner Margaret Jane, loaded with logs, dragged her anchor and drifted on to some rocks on the river bank, knocking a hole in her bottom. This is some fifteen or sixteen miles up the river; the cargo can be unloaded and damage repaired, as it is in a quiet, safe part of the river. The schooners, La Perouse and Planet, and ketch, Confidence, are loaded, and ready for sea first chance.

The country all round looks well; we shall have plenty of grass. The farmers are busy planting their maize crops.

WAGGA WAGGA, Oct. 1.

Our weather experiences for the past week have been attended by a good share of variety. On Monday and Tuesday it was decidedly squally, with heavy showers falling at intervals up to the early morning of Wednesday, when there was a cessation of rain, a threatening sky ruling throughout the day, to pour down its showers after sundown. On Thursday and Friday we had bright skies, with a moderate degree of warmth, but the nights brought us a surprise in the way of sharp frosts, for which we hardly looked, as we had quite made up our minds that we were done with frost for this season. On Saturday night there was again an appearance of rain, but about midnight it became again clear and cold, and fine weather has been the rule since.

On the whole our race-week visitors were more fortunate than it was anticipated they would be, for the rain held off in the most accommodating manner so long as our sports were on the way. The results of the annual meeting have been altogether satisfactory. The attendance was very large, and the quality of the racing was on the whole sufficiently interesting to put any idea of regret for a journey to the meeting out of the question. The Turf Club people, it is but fair to note, are everywhere congratulated and complimented on the success of the meeting and the excellence of the general arrangements. The course was admirably kept, disorder of any kind was absent, and the half-dozen troopers who graced the meeting with their presence had little else to do than display their horses' paces and enjoy the races after the manner of ordinary citizens.

Two of our Sydney visitors will, however, hardly feel inclined to accept this as a faithful description of the police occupation, and are no doubt filled with disgust at the amount of zeal the force were called upon to show. These gentlemen—true *chevaliers d'industrie* of the approved racecourse-haunting type—had set up a certain mysterious game called the lucky shilling. They were evidently doing a very good business, when two of the police on the ground warned them off, telling them that the game was a prohibited one, and that special instructions had been sent from Sydney to the local head of the force not to allow it to be played. The chevaliers, named Asher, and brothers too, became bounceable, and insisted that they had come up from Sydney to give the Wagga people the advantage of their skill at this pleasant and innocent pastime; and, having come, play it they would, be the will of police or magistrates what it may. The result, it will be easily understood, was hardly pleasant for the brothers Asher, for an arrest of both followed, and brought before the Bench the following morning, the worthies appeared rather astonished when the presiding magistrate sent them to gaol for one week with hard labour.

Amongst others who will have unpleasant reminiscences of Wagga during race week will be found Messrs. Lynn and Kellier, two members of a Variety Company who were playing here, and whose case appears to be one of some hardship. Lynn and Kellier had been travelling a Marionette Company before, and a run of hard luck in the shape of empty benches had pressed so sorely upon them that a bill was run up with a local Boniface for board and lodging. While staying at the irate landlord's house, Lynn and Kellier obtained a water-bottle of trifling value and a small bit of carpet for the purpose of their performances, which were given at the Mechanics' Institute. Angry words appear to have passed about the account for board and lodging, and the landlord followed the matter up by causing the arrest of the two, on a charge of stealing a water-bottle and piece of carpet. They were accordingly locked up on Thursday afternoon, the public who came to be entertained at night being left to wonder much at the closed doors and the strange news as to the position the two performers were then in. Both of them on being arrested informed the constable that they had borrowed the bottle and other matters from the wife of the publican, and the angry and scarcely judicious landlord himself admitted to the Bench, when the case was heard on Friday, that he had told them, on being asked for some articles of furnishing for their show, to go to his wife for anything they wanted; whereupon the Bench discharged the unlucky performers from custody. The stay in the lockup all night meant to these men a serious loss in the business certain to turn up on one of the race nights, to say nothing of the disagreeable slur which the proceedings have thrown upon them; and I believe that there will be some work for the lawyers over the matter, as it is stated that steps have been taken towards bringing an action against Boniface for malicious prosecution, or something of the sort.

There has been a good deal of wordy war arising out of the late Pastoral Show and the Greeves and Goodisson business about the saleyards' charges, with some other matters of the committee's action. Complaints continue to be made about the regulation prohibiting the exhibition of sheep having over twelve months' wool on at the time of the show. Mr. T. W. Hammond, of Junee, defends the regulation, in the framing of which he admits he had a share as a member of the committee, and combats the notion contended for by the other side, that competent sheep judges could make an allowance for the extra growth. He maintains that it might be that such exceptionally good judges as this idea supposes did exist, but that they were few, and that it would be almost impossible for the association to obtain their services. Mr. Hammond appeals to the quality and numbers of this year's sheep exhibits as a proof that the rule did not act prejudicially. But on the other hand it is still held by a good many that, respectable as the exhibits were in number, they would have been very much larger were it not for the rule in question. Mr. Hammond would have the rule altered if it was found necessary, though he holds that it has not done harm. Moreover, he very justly complains, in his letter to one of the local journals, of the small interest the sheepowners take in the general meetings of the association, at which alterations in the rules are made, as manifested by their absence; while they are ever ready with complaint after work has been done, and leave the work of the association altogether on the shoulders of a few.

Out of this controversy, or at any rate running current with it, is to be found the discussion of a project for the formation of another pastoral association, which is to have its quarters at Narandera. Whether this project will ever get beyond the stage of talk, I cannot say; but two gentlemen (Mr. J. H. Douglas, of North Yanko, and Mr. Angus Robertson, of Yarrabee Park) have each promised to give £100 towards the starting of the proposed association. I think it would prove to be an unfortunate move in every respect if this project were carried out. The rules of the old association are not of the character of the laws of the Medes and Persians, and I don't even see the faintest sign of a tyrannic majority amongst the members who would be likely to oppose any attempt at change made in good faith. I cannot help thinking that it would be much better for all the sheepowners of the district to put their heads together, "hill men" and "plain men," and endeavour to frame regulations that would run the least possible danger of shutting out any exhibits. I am sure the pastoral interest will not be served by setting up its little Mutual Admiration Society sheep shows in every promising township that happens to lie in the heart of two or three big runs. Such a course would be but another outcome of the evil genius of paltry localism, which has, or ought to have, an ever active antagonist in the thoroughly representative exhibition. I am confident that if the committee of the Murrumbidgee Pastoral Association would call a general meeting to overhaul these questions which are now agitating the minds of a good many of its members, and at the same time consider the important matter of opening the society to the agricultural interest, they would be doing work that would have the sympathy of the public. Further, I would venture to say they would be doing work that would most effectually nip the Narandera opposition idea in the bud.

The settling for the races took place on Saturday last with the customary volleys of champagne-produced "Hip, hip, hurrahs." The following amounts were paid over:—Mr. J. Silberberg, £948; Mr. James Mitchell, £537 4s.; Mr. J. A. Dallas, £355; Mr. W. Williams, £247; Mr. J. Sevior, £184 18s.; Mr. Patten, £167; Mr. H. Hayshead, £165; Mr. T. Ivory, £110; Mr. M'Evoy, £100; Mr. Grosvenor, £104; Mr. C. M. Lloyd, £80; Mr. Whitty, £80; Mr. Mayo, £50; Mr. Croft, £20 18s; Mr. Loder, £20; Mr. J. Doherty, £15; Mr. A. A. Devlin, £10; Mr. F. R. L. Rossi, £10; Mr. W. Yeoman, £9 14s.

It has become quite the customary thing now to wait upon the winner of the Cup, for a donation to the hospital, and this time the institution derives a cheque for £10 from Mr. Silberberg's luck and generosity. If fortunate horseowners like to be interviewed by our hospital treasurer every year, who shall object, looking to the end in view! But as a matter of justice I would suggest that the race-time interviewing business, if it is to be a rule every year, should not be confined to the turfites who minister to our amusement. I should like to see the storekeepers and hotelkeepers, some of whom make quite as good a haul as a Cup win out of this carnival of ours, and whose hospital gifts never go beyond the necessary voting subscriber's guinea.—I should like to see these gentlemen, I say, initiate a Race-week Special Hospital Fund, by putting down a fair sum amongst them for the purpose. If they could be induced to do this, I fancy it would be found that the gifts from "the stranger within our gates" would be given in greater number and with ready cheerfulness. If they don't do this, I predict that racing men of the future will be putting down the hospital treasurer's interview as a sort of tax extractor which must be taken into account when making up the cost of bringing their horses to Wagga.

The trees planted in front of the Joint Stock Bank are justly held in much esteem by townspeople and visitors alike, and anything that occurs to mar their beauty excites a considerable amount of regret. Last week some malicious larrikin, whether juvenile or adult it is difficult to say, deliberately chopped through the wire-protecting netting and inflicted sad havoc on the bark of one of them.

Another of those farm fires which are so frequent and at the same time so mysterious in their origin took place at the homestead of Mr. John Harding, of Oura, on Saturday last. The fire destroyed a barn and some stacks, breaking out somewhere about 1 o'clock in the morning. The loss is estimated at £400, and is only about half insured. The cause of the fire nothing appears to be known as yet, but some tracks which have been discovered leading from the stack to the road in a direction not used by the residents of the farm favour the supposition that malice has been at work here also.

Town clocks are, judging by the experience of country municipalities, not exactly the strongest line in the Works Department, and the Wagga timepiece has proved to be quite an erratic model of Government achievements. For more than a week it startled the town by striking any number of hours at all times, from one up to twenty-four, until at last the Postmaster and the public cried out with Othello's frenzy, "Silence that dreadful bell! it frights the isle from its propriety," and so the striking part of the machinery was suspended from duty. What followed has been far from satisfactory, for during the past three weeks or so the clock has been standing at half-past 10; and, wanting the post-office guide, our timepieces generally have been floundering about in a most deplorably demoralized state.

An awful case of sudden death took place here yesterday. A man named Chicken went to Dr. O'Connor's surgery to consult him, and, while the doctor was talking to him, dropped dead. An inquest was held in the afternoon, and a verdict returned in accordance with the medical evidence, that deceased died from disease of the heart.

The first set match of the cricketers here took place on Saturday last on the Wagga Club's ground, on the racecourse. The match was Billabong v. Wagga Club, for a cup given by the late Mr. John Cox on the same conditions as the Joint District Challenge Cup, and resulted in a draw, the Wagga men scoring about 200 to the others, 50.

The Circuit Court was opened by his Honor Sir W. Manning this morning. Up to the time of closing my letter the cases tried were—Martin Rogers, larceny, found guilty, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment; Arthur Campbell, horse-stealing, guilty, two years Darlinghurst gaol; Ah Chow, who was charged with obtaining money by means of a flash note, was acquitted.

The stock business of the past week has been light, the following sales being effected:—By Elliott, Fosbery, and Co., 3300 2-tooth ewes, for Thomas Brown and Co.; by Rand and Tompson, 20 steers to Mr. George Dixey; and 3000 wethers for Mr. T. Newtown.

The land office business was confined to the taking up of one selection by Henry Kraume of 100 acres, County of Bourke, parish of Merubbale.

WELLINGTON, October 2.

Some time back, in consequence of representations made by the townspeople, a foot constable was appointed for Wellington, and a very efficient officer he was, and soon got promoted to a better position. Another came in his place, and after a brief trial was dismissed; since then, some two months fled, we have been without one. Now the population is increasing rapidly, particularly the class of men who do all the better for police surveillance. Navvies, stone-breakers, fencers, the nomadic workers of the shearing-shed, and the class of labourers who will hang about taking any odd job until the harvesting; and to look after all these we have two police and two gaolers. The police, being mounted men, are constantly away, and to look after the peace of Wellington and Montefiore we have the two gaolers; one, the warder, has to be on duty all day looking after the prisoners (a week ago, I believe there were sixteen, four of whom were lunatics), the gaoler has charge of them at night. Now, suppose a disturbance takes place at night, not at all an unlikely occurrence, the mounted men away, the warder at home, and the gaoler in charge which he dare not leave, who is to quell the riot or arrest the wrongdoer! We require two additional men, and that at once. At present, no doubt, we are pretty free from a really criminal class; but when pay-day comes round we soon find that there is a different element in our midst to what we have been accustomed to.

A meeting was held at Hughes's Royal on the 21st September for the purpose of reviving the meetings of the Pastoral and Agricultural Association; Mr. R. T. Gaden in the chair. The treasurer, Mr. W. H. Forwood, explained the financial position which was very good, there being a good balance to the credit. The show-ground is all fenced in; and now that the drought has decidedly broken up, there ought not to be any hindrance to there being a show next year, which was determined upon. Mr. Gaden was elected President; and Messrs. E. A. Smith, D. Ferguson, J. Aarons, J. A. Gardiner, and E. Rossiter, Vice-Presidents; L. Jeronimus, Secretary; and W. H. Forwood, Treasurer.

The annual picnic of the Public school children came off on the recreation reserve adjoining Mr. P. Reedy's farm, on Thursday, 26th September. This event is now looked forward to with considerable interest, not only by the children, but by a large number of the adults, who enter into the affair with such zeal and spirit, particularly that charming sex without whom the best picnic would be but a stale sandwich, that a successful gathering is certain. The town was aroused about 10 a.m. by the sound of martial music and the army of youthful warriors to the number of 300 marched through the main thoroughfare, headed by the amateur band, and a very pleasant sight it was as they filed across the Bell bridge to the grassy glade selected for their day's amusement. The number of the school children is increased by numbers who do not attend the school, for the invitation to the picnic is given to all the children of the district, and it is to be regretted that a narrow-minded spirit of intolerance prevent a good many from joining with those born and bred in the same town in an innocent day's amusement. There were swings for the young ones, races for prizes, cricket, rounders, dancing, all of which amusements were kept up with unflagging zest till sundown. Ample provision was made to satisfy all appetites, and when I state that the number on the ground was estimated at between 800 and a 1000, it took no small supply to do that. There was but one opinion, and that was that it was the most successful day's outing yet held in Wellington.

Our new Police Magistrate took his seat on the Bench last week.

It was only on Sunday I was remarking to a friend upon the beauty of the season and the fine prospects that were in store for us, felicitating ourselves upon the fine crop of fruit and grapes we were likely to have. The past two or three seasons have not been at all favourable in this respect. "Alas, poor man, and when he thinks full surely his grapes and melons will be ripening, there comes a frost; and, sure enough, there did come a frost on Sunday morning. Melons, pumpkins, potatoes, grapes, all looking so green and beautiful the day before; all his little cucumbers and beans, at one fell swoop were gone, black and burnt, as if the very spirit of the fiery drought had breathed over them in envy of their greenness. From Mitchel's Creek comes the same report. The vineyards and orchards at Apsley, Milballa, Dr. Bohme's Gobolion, Meeting of the Waters all wail the same sad strain. Many hundreds of pounds worth of fruit were all destroyed in that one night.

The Anglican Bishop of Bathurst is expected here this week en route to Dubbo. He will hold a Confirmation at our church on Tuesday next. The Rev. Mr. Wright preached here last Sunday.

Weather fine.

WINDSOR, Oct. 2.

A meeting of the members of the Hawkesbury Race Club was held in the dining-room of the grand stand, on the course, on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. B. Richards, J.P., president, occupied the chair. There was but a small attendance. The secretary, Mr. C. Guest, read the report of the committee for the past year, which congratulated members on the continued success of the club, though the balance at the bank was somewhat reduced owing to an expenditure of £200 in improvements. A new mile course had been made during the year, at a cost of £150, which had given general satisfaction. The entries for the Sapling Stakes of 1878, the Hawkesbury Guineas of 1879, and the Mares' Produce Stakes for 1880, exceeded those of any previous years, but there was a falling off in the entries for the Produce Stakes of 1881. There was a balance to the credit of the Club of £602, which included a fixed deposit in the Bank of £500, bearing interest. In addition to this, there was £46 18s. 6d. owing to the Club, a dishonoured cheque for £10 forming a portion of the arrears. The total revenue amounted to £4251, and the expenditure £3272. On the motion of Mr. J. Seath, seconded by Mr. Gough, the report was adopted. Mr. B. Richards, J.P., was elected president for the current year, and Mr. W. Gosper, vice-president. The committee of the past year, comprising Messrs. B. Richards, G. Isabell, T. Richards, jun., J. H. Crowley, W. Gosper, R. Skuthorpe, W. Dargin, J. Dargin, J. Gough, T. Richards, sen., J. Onus and J. E. Onus were re-elected. Mr. J. M. M'Quade and Mr. D. Cobcroft were reappointed auditors.

BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Macdonald Town.—Meeting held 25th September. Present—The Mayor (Mr. C. B. Henderson), and Aldermen Osborne, Madden, Vandenbrook, Foskett, Evans, Watson, and M'Namee. Correspondence read: A letter from two ratepayers, complaining of the nightsoil nuisance. Agreed that the letter be received and that the Mayor institute proceedings under the Municipality Act. Accounts to the amount of £89 10s. 6d. were presented by the Chairman of Finances for payment and agreed to. The Mayor laid before the Council a petition from numerous ratepayers to the Postmaster-General, requesting the appointment of an additional postman in this borough. Alderman Osborne moved,—"That this Council appoint a deputation consisting of the Mayor and Aldermen Osborne, Madden, Foskett, and Vandenbrook to wait on the Postmaster-General to present the petition and urge on the Minister the desirability of complying with the same. Seconded by Alderman Vandenbrook, and carried. It was agreed unanimously that a cart be provided for watering the streets; and that it be left in the hands of the Mayor to procure a letter-press bench with cupboards, shelves, &c. The Mayor laid on the table the plan and specification for culvert in Henderson Road. It was agreed that the remaining portion of the ballast vote for the north end of Mitchell-road be placed on the south end before depositing the blue metal thereon, at the probable cost of £30 for the labour. The Council-clerk laid before the meeting the balance-sheet for the half-year ending 6th August, 1878, which was received and adopted. A special meeting was held on 2nd October, to consider tenders for culvert on Henderson-road, and to revise by-laws. Present—The Mayor (Mr. C. B. Henderson), and Aldermen Madden, Foskett, Wood, M'Namee, Watson, and Osborne. The Council went into committee, and on resuming, the Mayor reported that the tender of Messrs. Eden and King was accepted, and that two new by-laws had been made.—G. H. Greenwood, Acting Council-clerk.

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SPORTING.

THE QUEENSLAND TURF CLUB SPRING MEETING.

FIRST (DERBY) DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1.

(BY OUR OWN REPORTER.)

Patron, his Excellency Sir A. E. Kennedy, C.B., K.C.M.G.; president, Sir M. C. O'Connell, Knight; vice-president, Hon. J. P. Bell, M.L.A. Under the management of the Committee of the Queensland Turf Club. Judge, Hon. F. H. Hart, M.L.C.; starter, G. B. Molle; handicappers, the Committee Q.T.C.; clerk of the course, Mr. John Graham; secretary, Mr. Robert R. Dawbarn.

For several seasons past Queensland has been steadily advancing in turf matters, and encouraged by the success which attended the autumn meeting, the gentlemen who hold the managerial reins determined to hold on terms with the other colonies by holding a spring meeting. The dates selected nicely dovetailed with the Australian Jockey Club and Victoria Racing Club fixtures, and when the programme saw the light, and the notes of preparation were sounded, the prospects of the meeting looked particularly brilliant. The various items filled well, and the efforts of Mr. Dawbarn and the committee were untiring, but, unfortunately for both clubs, our Murrumbidgee friends arranged their popular races to come off only a few days before that of Brisbane, and such a course led to the division of horses and men to such an extent as to interfere with both meetings. For several days prior to the opening of the spring carnival, visitors from the outlying districts and neighbouring colonies began to pour into the town, and everything promised a successful gathering. Welcome rain fell on Saturday and Sunday, and, with the likelihood of a good season, it was thought that the attendance would be unusually large. The race morning was ushered in by beautiful weather, but a great lack of interest in the different events was observable, and it soon became apparent that those who expected a large attendance were doomed to disappointment. The scene on the road to the course was "slow" compared to what it was in May last, and the river steamers, gaily decorated with flags, were not nearly so crowded as they should have been upon such an occasion. The drive from town to the course is about the most picturesque in the colonies, but even the glorious weather and the grand scenery failed to attract a crowd. A party of visitors from Sydney, put spirit into the scene, and made it look something like "Derby Day" by driving out in a "four in hand," and several other such turnouts were also to be seen. As things turned out the day was a great one for Queensland, and, had the public had any idea what success awaited their colony, they would have accorded the club more support. Amongst the reasons advanced for the paucity of attendance is, that the meeting opened at the beginning of the quarter when most persons in business were deeply engaged, and it is thought that the club will receive more patronage on Thursday and Friday when no such excuse will be forthcoming. His Excellency Sir Arthur Kennedy, Miss Kennedy, and suite, reached the course in good time, and the Grand Stand was fairly patronized by the fair ladies of Brisbane. Many improvements have been effected since the last meeting, and the secretary had now got his weighing room, &c., in good working order. The course was in good condition, and the lawn and saddling paddock looked green and refreshing, but the absence of a band rendered things much duller than usual, and the intervals between the races were somewhat wearisome. A good band and a good luncheon are capital time killers between races, and when we had the latter, the former was greatly missed, and it is to be hoped for the last time. Mr. R. R. Dawbarn was quite at home as secretary, but it is hardly fair that the brunt of the business should fall upon him, and I should have liked to have seen the stewards a little more industrious. Warrong was scratched for the Hurdle Race, for which the horses were rather late at the post, and Peter Simple found most favour at 5 to 4, while Standard was mildly supported at 7 to 4. The favourite was first away, but was soon steadied, and Tartar led till he baulked at the fourth hurdle, when Peter Simple took up the running, and was never afterwards troubled. Tartar fell two fences from home, and Nonsense came to his knees at the last flight, disposing of M'Gowan and giving him a heavy fall. The pen was drawn through the names of Nemo, Verdict, Palermo, King Cole, and Waterers, for the Brisbane Handicap, and eight left the paddock, Duke of Linne being an immense favourite at even money. The colt looked even better than when at Randwick, and so great was the confidence reposed in him that many layers of odds turned backers for the occasion and paid the penalty. Melbourne also stripped in good form, though rather on the fat side; and Premier, Lilla, and Sydney also looked well; but the handsome and grandly-bred Olivia appeared to be somewhat above herself, and was only entrusted with a stray shot or two at 6 and 7 to 1. The start was not a good one, Premier and Melbourne getting away in front, while Duke of Linne, who was handicapped with a running rein, was the last to leave the post. The pace was a cracker all the way, Emigrant, Lilla, and Olivia forcing the running. After going half-a-mile the favourite ran into third place, but he was beaten at the far side of the course, and Olivia, taking up the running, led into the straight, attended by Sydney and Premier. The latter made a great effort in the straight, but the filly held her own, and won a well-contested race by a short half-length. The official time was given as 2 minutes 13 seconds, but several reliable private watches made it 2 minutes 16 seconds and 2 minutes 16½ seconds. The winner, who carried 3½ lbs. over weight, belongs to the Hon. J. P. Bell, and was trained by Mr. Kellett. She was bred by her owner at "The Grange," Ipswich, and is by Laureate, from Clive (imported.) She is a fine raking filly, showing lots of quality but though faultless behind the saddle, is a trifle heavy about the shoulder. Her victory was highly popular and she was loudly cheered upon returning to scale. Radical, Gazelle, and Sarcasm having had their resignations sent in for the Trial Stakes, only three went to the post, 5 to 4 on the field being the ruling price, while 5 to 1, with no takers, was forthcoming about King Cole. The two four-year-olds cut out the work till a quarter of a mile from home, when the outsider took up a commanding lead. The Earl sheered off the course at the home turn, and took Fireball with him, but Dowling getting him back again, the pair had a fine set-to for second honours, resulting in favour of Fireball by a head, but they never got within cooee of the "merry old soul," who won easily by half a dozen lengths, and the mile occupied 1·49. Of all the morals that have been run in Australia for years past the Queensland Derby was regarded as the greatest. His Lordship for the A.J.C Derby was nothing to it, and the Sydney contingent thought they were finding money by laying 100 to 20 and 100 to 5 on Napper Tandy. But horse racing is a funny little game, and after the race had been run there was no difficulty in picking out the Sydney men. Each and all of them wore a thoughtful and absent-minded (and money) look. The race was as slow as a top all the way, but the favourite, though ridden just as he should have been, held out signals of distress a quarter of a mile from home, and spread out like a bullock when asked to finish. He had done a fair share of steady work since his arrival, and looked fresh and well. Mr. Kent made a declaration in his favour, and sent Sir Andrew to help him, and the fact of the son of Tarragon and Lady Mary coming home before him clearly shows that the great gun did not run up to anything like his form. Sir Andrew and Ada cut out the work for half the distance, when Whisker, who had to be ridden to keep with his horses when passing the stand, went up like a shot, and, forcing the running the rest of the way, won by half a length, after a capital battle with Sir Andrew. The result was received with the most enthusiastic cheering, and the fact that the colours of the high-priced Napper Tandy had been lowered by a Queensland bred colt gave the greatest satisfaction. Miss Kennedy decorated the winner with the "Blue Ribbon" of the Queensland Turf; and Mr. Kellett, who trained the colt, was congratulated on all sides, while the greatest dismay prevailed in the ranks of the New South Welshmen. Whisker is a big, powerful chestnut colt, strong enough to carry a castle, but does not show the quality of Napper Tandy, and on the score of condition was a deal above himself. Like Olivia, he is the property of the Hon. J. P. Bell, and was bred by that gentleman. He is by Laureate from Wheatsheaf (imported), by Thormanby. Wrangler, Garibaldi, J. G., and Sly Boots were absent from the Visitors' Plate, and Reform, who was in favour at 5 to 4, won easily from The Arab (not Mr. Tait's colt of that name.)

The following is an account of the racing:—

THE HURDLE RACE.—A handicap sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each from starters, with 100 sovs. added. Second horse 20 sovs. from the prize. About 2¼ miles.

Mr. H. L. Roberts's b or br g Peter Simple (late J. F.), aged, 11 st 2 lb (P. Carey) ... 1
D. T. Seymour's b g Standard, aged, 11 st 7 lb (A. Aitkins) 2
T. Ivory's ch g Nonsense, aged, 9 st 5 lb (M'Gowan) ... 0
J. Henderson's gr g Tartar, aged, 9st (T. Williams) ... Fell

Betting: 5 to 4 v. Peter Simple; 7 to 4 v. Standard; 3 to 1 v. Nonsense.

Peter Simple was first away, with Standard last, and the former led over the first two jumps, followed by Tartar, Nonsense, and Standard, the latter going short, and losing ground at every stride. Tartar took up the running at the far side, and jumped the sod-wall, when there was no necessity for doing so. He led on past the stand, but refused the fence at the turn, after going out of the straight, and Peter Simple obtained a lead of about six lengths, and conducted them along the back of the course, pulling double and jumping admirably—Nonsense, Tartar, and Standard following, with about a dozen lengths between each. Save that the favourite drew further away, and that Standard did not appear to make any effort to join his horses, no change took place until they were going along the far side of the course for the last time, when Nonsense got within a length of Peter Simple, and at the fence at the far corner Tartar came to grief. Nonsense attempted to go up at the home turn, but hitting the last fence very hard parted with his rider, and the favourite won very easily from Standard, who quite failed to run up to the form he showed when he defeated Flinders and other good ones at Randwick. Time, 5 minutes 45½ seconds.

THE BRISBANE HANDICAP.—A handicap sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each from starters, with 100 sovs. added. For all horses. Second horse, 20 sovs. from the prize. 1½ mile.

Hon. J. P. Bell's ch f Olivia, 3 years, by Laureate—Olive, 5 st 10 lbs (including 3 lbs over) (R. Rudd) ... 1
Mr T. Dwyer's b g Premier, aged, by Millionaire, 6 st 2 lbs (A. Reeve) ... 2
J. Finnie's b h Sydney, 4 years, by Gemma di Vergy, 7 st 2 lbs (Blaithwaite) ... 3
Mr. Williams's b h Melbourne, aged, 9 st (J. Hughes) ... 0
T. Abraham's br h The Rake, 4 years, 7 st 2 lbs (E. Lang) 0
Hon. J. P. Bell's b m Lilla, 4 years, 7 st 6 lbs (D. Willis) ... 0
Mr. S. Harding's b c Duke of Linne, 3 years, 7 st (Williams)... 0
Hon. R. Pring's b c Immigrant, 3 years, 5 st 12 lbs (Munro) ... 0

Betting: Even on Duke of Linne, 4 to 1 v. Premier, 6 to 1 each v. The Rake, Lilla, Sydney, and Olivia, 7 to 1 each v. Melbourne and Emigrant.

The flag went down to an indifferent start, Premier and Melbourne getting first away, attended by Olivia and Sydney, while Duke of Linne was the last to get on his legs. As soon as they settled into their strides, Emigrant shot to the front, and led Lilla half a length past the stand, Olivia and Duke of Linne going on third and fourth, the rest on pretty close terms, with Melbourne last. The two leaders got together at the back of the course, and Olivia joining them, the trio raced on terms to the far corner, Duke of Linne next, four lengths off, and followed by Premier. Emigrant was the first to cry enough, and when half-way round the bend Olivia assumed a lead of two lengths, while Sydney, running past Lilla, went on second. Here Duke of Linne was in trouble, and being joined by Premier the pair turned into the running three lengths from the leaders. Premier, coming from every call, headed Sydney in the run home, and challenging Olivia at the distance, Rudd was compelled to draw his whip. A capital race ensued, and the filly struggling home gallantly, won after a pretty finish by a short half length. Sydney, ridden out, was third, three lengths away; Duke of Linne, five lengths from him, was fourth, and then came Melbourne, Lilla, Emigrant, and The Rake. Time, 2 minutes 13 seconds (private watches, 2 minutes 16 seconds.)

THE TRIAL STAKES.—A sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each from starters, with 75 sovs. added. For all horses which have not won a prize exceeding 50 sovs. in value up to time of entrance; a winner of such prize thereafter to carry 5 lbs. penalty. Second horse, 15 sovs. from the prize. Weight for age. 1 mile.

Mr. J. Henderson's br h King Cole, aged, by Kelpie—Elsie, 9 st 3 lbs (T. Williams) ... 1
Hon. J. P. Bell's br h Fireball, 4 years, by Fireworks—Miss Constance, 8 st 11 lbs (Sutherland) ... 2
R. Pring's ch h The Earl, 4 years, by The Baronet—Colleen Bawn, 8 st 11 lbs (Dowling)... 3

Betting: 5 to 4 on the field, The Earl for choice.

King Cole was first away, but The Earl soon took command and led him a length round the turn. Fireball went up to the chestnut at the back of the course, and they raced together with the outsider in waiting till less than half a mile from home, when King Cole ran past them without an effort. The whip was turned on to The Earl at the corner, and he sheered off to the outside of the course taking Fireball with him, but they lost no time in getting back, and, while King Cole won easily, The Earl gradually caught Fireball, and after a great battle was only beaten a head for second honours. Time, 1 minute 49 seconds.

THE QUEENSLAND DERBY, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, 3 sovs. forfeit, with 150 sovs. added. For then three-year-olds. Colts, 8 st. 10 lb.; fillies, 8 st. 5 lbs. The second horse to receive 20 sovs., and the third 10 sovs. from the prize. 1½ mile.

Hon. J. P. Bell's ch c Whisker, 3 years, by Laureate—Wheatsheaf, 8 st. 10 lbs. (Sutherland) ... 1
Mr. W. H. Kent's b or ro c Sir Andrew, 3 years, by Tarragon—Lady Mary, 8 st. 10 lbs. (H. Lewis) ... 2
Hon. J. P. Bell's b f Ada, 3 years, by Laureate—Adventuress, 8 st. 5 lbs. (Willis) ... 3
Mr. W. H. Kent's b or br c Napper Tandy, 3 years, 8 st. 10 lbs. (W. Huxley) ... 0

Betting: 100 to 15 on Napper Tandy.

A good start commenced proceedings, Sir Andrew being quickest on his legs, but after going a few strides Ada went to him and, making pace for their respective stable companions, began to draw away. Ada just led the son of Tarragon past the post, Napper Tandy, in waiting, four lengths away, the same distance dividing him from Whisker, who was being ridden to keep his place. Sir Andrew was in front at the turn, but only for a few strides, as Sutherland, drawing his whip on Whisker, the colt ran past his horses as if they were standing still, and at the back of the course had an advantage of two lengths of Mr. Kent's pair. A little further on Napper Tandy went up second, but was eased off a little until rounding the bend when Huxley called upon him. He answered with one weak effort, and as Huxley was seen to move on him a cry went up from the stand, proclaiming that the favourite was beaten. Once in difficulties he spread out terribly, and the honour of the stable was left to Sir Andrew. The little fellow got closer to Mr. Bell's colt at the home turn, and, finishing very gamely, reached Whisker's girths at the distance. Fifty lengths from home he was almost on terms, but he faltered half-a-dozen strides from the post, and the Queensland colt won a grand race by scarcely half a length. Ada caught and beat Napper Tandy in the last few strides, and beat him a neck for third place, the pair finishing some ten or a dozen lengths from the other two. Time, 2 minutes 49 seconds.

THE VISITORS' PLATE of 50 sovs. For all horses. Weight for age. The winner to be sold for 80 sovs. 7 lbs. allowed for every reduction of 10 sovs. on selling price down to 30 sovs. 1 mile.

Mr. J. Carroll's ch g Reform (£50), by Barbarian—Marchioness, 4 years, 7 st 1 lb (Oliver) ... 1
J. Finnie's b f The Arab, 3 years, 5 st 13 lbs (Blacklock) ... 2
J. Wilson's br m Music (£100), 5 years, 5 st 11 lbs. (J. Read) 3
J. Abraham's gr g Zanco (£30), aged, 6 st 7 lbs ... 0
Ahern's br g Soda Water, 5 years, 6 st 8 lbs ... 0

Betting: 5 to 4 v. Reform, 5 to 2 each v. Music and The Arab.

A pretty good start sent Music away at the front, attended by The Arab and Zanco. Zanco then took up the running, and held it to the beginning of the bend, when he melted away, and Reform, shaking off The Arab at the last turn, won easily by two lengths. Music, who came very fast when the fun was nearly over, was third, four lengths from The Arab, and then came Sodawater and Zanco. Time 1 minute 50 seconds.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)
BRISBANE, SATURDAY.

The Spring Meeting was brought to a conclusion to-day. The following are the results of to-day's events:—

FLYING HANDICAP.

Mr. John Carroll's b h Verdict ... 1
J. Finnie's br h Nemo ... 2
G. R. Dive's b m Palmero ... 3

Six started; Verdict led all the way and won by two lengths, Nemo giving in when called on. Time, 1 minute 33 seconds.

ALL AGED STAKES.

Mr J. P. Bell's ch f Olivia ... 1
W. H. Kent's br c Napper Tandy ... 2
J. Finnie's br h Nemo ... 3

Only three started. Olivia went to the front at the quarter-of-mile post and was never headed, winning by half a length. Napper Tandy made a great rush at the finish. Nemo was third, half a length from Napper Tandy. Time, 1 minute 48 seconds.

SANDGATE HANDICAP.—1½ mile.

Mr. J. Williams's b h Melbourne ... 1
J. Finnie's b h Sydney ... 2
Hon. R. Pring's ch h The Earl ... 3

There were eight starters. There were three false starts and Lilla ran three miles and a half before being pulled off. The Earl made the running to the back of the course, where he was joined by Whisker and Lazy Girl, Melbourne and Sydney lying last, until a mile and a quarter had been covered, when Melbourne went up and won easily, a head separating second and third. Time, 2 minutes 42¼ seconds.

STEEPLECHASE.

Peter Simple ... 1
Standard ... 2
Nonsense ... 3

Peter Simple won in a canter by twenty lengths. Standard's jockey fell at the seventh jump, and lost 200 yards. Time, 7 minutes 8 seconds.

FORCED HANDICAP.

Mr. J. Williams' b h Melbourne, 9 st 4 lbs... ... 1
G. R. Dives' b m Lazy Girl, 6 st 10 lbs ... 2
J. Carroll's b h Verdict, 8 st ... 3

Blantyre, 6 st 2 lbs; Music, 5 st 7 lbs; and Rake, 6 st 10 lbs, also started. Rake and Music led for three-quarters of a mile, when Lazy Girl went to the front. Melbourne caught her on entering the straight, and won under the whip by a length. Time, 2 minutes 15 seconds.

MELBOURNE HUNT CLUB MEETING.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)
MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

There was magnificent weather for the races, and the course was in excellent order. A variety of improvements have been made, all tending to the comfort of the visitors. His Excellency the Governor and party, and Mrs. and Miss Finlay were present. Nearly all the favourites won, and the double—Sussex and Adonis—came off. Sussex, with top weight, had all his work to do to win the Hurdle Race from Stampede, and was whipping for the last hundred yards. Diomed won his race comfortably a quarter-of-a-mile from home. He is by Manuka, and was much fancied. Jack o' Lantern, the favourite, finished seventh or eighth. In the Hunt Club Cup, Dominic, ridden by Mr. Filgate, won a good race. The weight on Highflyer told in the run home at the finish, but he jumped beautifully. In the Corinthian Flat Race, Stormbird bolted before the start, and afterwards ran against a post. Mr. Sullivan, who rode him, sustained a compound fracture of the arm, and fracture of the thigh. Diomed and George Frederick, the latter by Little Fish, ran a dead heat, but Diomed might have won had his rider been a little more careful, and probably did not think George Frederick so close. In the Steeplechase, Adonis was only one of the four that got round without a mistake. Curator ran up to the turn, when he lost his rider, who injured his arm. The Bowen Stakes brought out a field of nineteen, and was won by Monarque, who was in some favour. Lexicon and Bar One ran well, and furnished the places. The following is an account of the day's running:—

HURDLE RACE.

Mr. F. C. Goyder b c Sussex ... 1
T. Naughton's b g Stampede ... 2
J. R. Farrar's b g Welshman ... 3

The starters were Sussex, Burnewang, Welshman, Ramrod, Crown Prince, Drummer, Stampede, and Ivanhoe. Ivanhoe bolted at the start. Ramrod and Drummer were the first to show in front, Sussex being well up. Along the river turn Ramrod led with Drummer and Sussex, and at the back of the course Welshman was in front with Drummer second, and Sussex going up. The same order existed at the back of the course and at the sheds only three were in the race, namely, Welshman, Sussex, and Stampeda. Welshman fell off at the turn, Sussex and Stampede took the last hurdle together, and after a fine finish, Sussex won at the post. Sussex was the favourite at 2 to 1 on him at the start.

HANDICAP FLAT RACE.

Mr. H. Haines's b c Diomed ... 1
F. Leng's b c Monarque ... 2
J. Foulsham's b c Egremont ... 3

The starters were: Ashantee, Nunnykirk, Stockton, Jack o' Lantern, Maid of Honour, Naomi, Whirligig, Wellington, Egremont, Prattle, Monarque, Lexicon, Diomed, Glenelg, Bar One, Numa Pompilius, Mountain Deer. Betting: 6 to 1 on the field, bar two. Jack o' Lantern and Glenelg were the two backed. The lo got away to a good start, and all were pretty well together for half the distance, when Diomed and Monarque showed in front. A capital race ensued, and Diomed won comfortably by about a length from Monarque; Egremont third. Time, 1 minute 18½ seconds.

HUNT CLUB CUP.

Highflyer ... 1
Prodigious ... 2

Four started, Dominic, Highflyer, Prodigious, and Dandy. Dandy cut out the running. Prodigious fell at the second fence, but his rider remounted after losing much ground. At the turn Highflyer got the lead, and kept in front the whole of the distance to the home turn, where he was challenged by Dominic, who waited on him closely all round. A fine race along the straight ensued. Dominic ran several lengths and fell; Dandy also fell, and came in last. Time, 6 minutes 33½ seconds.

CORINTHIAN FLAT RACE.

Mr. H. Haines's b c Diomed ... } Dead heat.
W. A. Fulgate's b g George Frederick ... }

Stormbird led for nearly half a mile, when he lost his rider, and Diomed came up. At the home turn George Frederick came up to Diomed, and an exciting race along the straight running ensued, resulting in a dead heat. Time: 1 minute 49 seconds. The starters were—Cracker, Stormbird, Lady Somerville, Diomed, and George Frederick. The owners agreed to divide.

STEEPLECHASE.

Adonis ... 1

Adonis came in alone. Zanoni made the running to the back of the course, when Adonis got the lead, and was never afterwards headed. Curator and Zanoni fell at the back of the course, and the race in the last mile was left to Adonis and Trump. The latter lost his rider before coming to the home turn, and Adonis, who never made a mistake, cantered in alone.

BOWEN STAKES.

Mr. F. Leng's b c Monarque ... 1
———— Lexicon ... 2
C. Fleming's b c Glenelg ... 3

Nineteen started, and Monarque, after a good race, won by a length and a half. Time, 51¼ seconds.

PRINCE ALFRED YACHT CLUB.

A week last Saturday the Sydney Royal Yacht Squadron had their ceremonial opening of the season, and the weather then was too stormy to allow of much in the way of evolutions. The Prince Alfred Yacht Club on Saturday had weather almost precisely the reverse, for, although in every other respect favourable, the wind was too light for yachting. It is true that all yachtsmen do not desire

"A wet sheet and a flowing sea,
And a wind that follows fast."

For all that, however, a wind that fills all the sails and is strong enough to admit of quick evolutions is required, and this was just what was lacking. Leaving this out of the question the inaugural ceremony of the Prince Alfred Club was a pleasant affair. Soon after 1 o'clock the Commodore's colours were seen flying near the red buoy, and one by one the boats that intended to take part in the day's proceedings collected around with tolerable punctuality. The commodore sent up to the masthead the signal "Follow me in line," which was obeyed as promptly as possible, and with a light easterly wind the yachts commenced to tack in the direction of Athol, where a luncheon was to be given to the commodore and vice-commodore. The steamer Eva, with a few friends of the members of the club on board, followed the movements of the craft. The Guinevere, the commodore's yacht, of course led the way, and this may be considered her first public trial. Her topsail has not yet been spread, and it is impossible to say that she will realise the expectations of her owner, so far as speed is concerned; but she is nicely fitted up and appears to sail well. Next to her came the Secret (Mr. J. Newton), then the Daphne (Mr. G. Gedye). The Erin (Mr. S. Want), and the Mabel (Mr. Wm. Trickett), succeeded, and behind them the Magic (Mr. A. Fairfax). This splendidly fitted up and fast yacht maintained her old prestige and soon showed in the second position. The Ione (Mr. A. G. Milson), the Orpheus (Mr. William Grant), and the Kilmeny (Mr. P. F. Adams), brought up the rear. The sight from on board the steamer was beautiful in the extreme. The line of yachts was not of great extent, but the zigzag course rendered necessary by the head wind proved the means of showing this portion of the evolutions to advantage. In passing the Garonne, which was lying in the outer moorings, the fleet appeared to be describing a sweeping form of the letter "S," and as the boats bore down on the starboard tack, preparatory to running in to Athol there was one general regret felt that they did not muster more numerously. The "rendevous" signal having been hoisted, the yachts drew into their moorings in front of Athol, and preparations were made for the luncheon, which was a complimentary one, given to the Commodore and Vice-Commodore. The chair was occupied by Mr. F. J. Jackson, supported on the right by Mr. J. Want, the commodore; and on the left by Mr. J. Newton, the vice-commodore. The vice-chairman was Mr. Greville, M.L.A. The repast was plentiful, and those who were present appeared to do it the fullest justice.

The CHAIRMAN proposed the toast of "The Queen," which was duly honoured.

The VICE-CHAIRMAN proposed "The Patron of the Club, his Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh," which was drank with enthusiasm.

The CHAIRMAN then rose and said he had a very pleasant duty to perform, and that was to propose what they would all conside the toast of the day, and that was "Our Guests of to-day—the Commodore and vice-Commodore." Those two gentlemen, who were seated on each side of him, were doing all they possibly could in the yachting world, and his difficulty now was, while they were seated beside him, to speak well enough of them. He did not think, however, he could say, if he tried, too much in their favour, for they had done, probably, as much as any two gentlemen in New South Wales to advance the interests of yachting. One of them had done it, too, under very adverse circumstances, but he was glad to say he had lately built a craft which he hoped would do a great deal. His duty now, and his pleasure at the same time, was to propose the toast, which was enthusiastically honoured.

Mr. J. WANT responded. He said he had expected to pull through this trying occasion by answering for some one else, but Mr. Newton insisted on speaking for himself, and hence he was reduced to the necessity of answering all that had been said on his own account. Whatever he had done had been backed up by the most strenuous efforts of the club of which he was commodore. It was now many years since he had been hoisted into the position of taking the tiller of the little ship, and since then every member of the club had aided in achieving success. They had a secretary who did a great deal more than he did, and yet he seemed always to come in for the credit of it all. He hoped that their little ship would continue to float along pleasantly on the waves, and that the only storm it would encounter would be a storm of prosperity.

Mr. J. NEWTON also thanked those present for the way in which they had drank the toast. Although he was put into the position of commodore simply because he had a big yacht, he would, nevertheless, do his best to make the club a success.

Mr. A. H. PALMER, in a few appropriate remarks, proposed, "Success to the Prince Alfred Yacht Club."

Mr. BENBOW, in responding, said he had very little to say; but he would like to impress on the members of the Prince Alfred Club that discipline was important, and that when members were called to dinner they would say whether they were coming or not. He must say they had been far more successful than they had expected. He had much pleasure in returning thanks on behalf of the members of the club for the manner in which the toast had been honoured.

"The Ladies" and the "Press" completed the list of toasts.

After a short interval, the yachts were again got into readiness, and the commodore hoisted the signal to "form in line abreast of commodore to starboard." The wind, however, was very light in the cove where the boats had moored, and seeing that it would take some time to accomplish this evolution, the "salute commodore" signal was sent to the masthead instead. This was interpreted to mean in reality "part company," and the Magic stood off for Sydney, followed by the other yachts. In running before the wind the large mainsail of the Guinevere was noticed to give her considerable advantage. The visitors returned safely to Circular Quay in the Eva.

SYDNEY AMATEUR SAILING CLUB.

The note of preparation has sounded among our boating men. On Friday the Sydney Amateur Sailing Club held their annual meeting at the Exchange Hotel. The Commodore of the club (Mr. H. S. Hyam) occupied the chair, and a large number of members attended. This club has been in existence for six years, and, as it now numbers over 70 members, and the muster-roll is rapidly increasing, it may be quoted, in nautical parlance, as "going free with a wet sail." The minutes of the last general meeting having been read and adopted, the secretary (Mr. J. C. M'Donald) read the following letter:—

"Department of Lands, Sydney, 15th August, 1878.

"Gentlemen,—In reference to your application of the 19th instant, for the dedication of Crown land in Broken Bay (as shown upon a tracing furnished by you), for recreation purposes, I am directed to inform you that, as the Secretary for Lands is of opinion that it is very desirable to make the appropriation applied for, the matter will be referred for the necessary action by the Survey Office, prior to the dedication of the land.

"I have the honour to be, Gentlemen, your most obedient servant, "W. W. STEPHEN.

"Messrs. W. O. Gilchrist, C. A. Benbow, and J. C. M'Donald."

In acknowledging receipt of the letter, a vote of thanks was accorded to the three gentlemen for their exertions in bringing the matter to a successful issue.

The Commodore having been instructed to get the necessary flags to complete the code of signals, the following gentlemen were elected members of the club:—Messrs. P. Lawry, F. Robinson, W. H. Jackson, E. Shew, Clark, J. Murphy, D. Green, G. F. Bowen, and the Hon. R. Molyneux. The following were also nominated for election:—Messrs. F. G. Wesser, R. G. Oakley, W. Grant, H. Langley, jun., G. Whitelaw, H. C. Doyle, J. Robb, Ralph Charlton, Q. L. Deloitte, M. A. H. Fitzhardinge, and C. Kirchner.

The financial statement for the past nine months, which showed a balance on the right side of the ledger of £34 5s. 4d., was read and adopted.

The opening day, which, owing to unpropitious weather, had been postponed from the 28th September, was fixed for the 12th October.

The election of office-bearers for the ensuing year was then proceeded with, and resulted as follows:—Commodore, Mr. H. S. Hyam; vice-commodore, Mr. W. Johnson; treasurer, Mr. R. Anderson; secretary, Mr. E. M. Dietrich; auditors, Messrs. A. Muston and T. Stokes; committee, Messrs. F. Thomas, J. C. M'Donald, A. Muston, Dr. F. Milford, and T. Hale.

In returning thanks for the high honour again conferred upon him, the Commodore expressed his intention of presenting prizes for all classes of boats, and threw out the suggestion that the Open Boat Race should be a handicap.

A race for 18-footers and under (working sails, crew limited to three) was fixed for the 19th instant; and another for first-class boats for the 16th November, the Saturday following the Balmain Regatta. It was also announced that races for other classes of boats would take place on dates to be named hereafter.

The secretary was instructed to write to the secretary of the Anniversary Regatta Committee, expressing the entire confidence of the Sydney Amateur Sailing Club in the officers of the committee elected at the public meeting held on the 30th September. After a cordial vote of thanks to the chairman the proceedings terminated.

THE MERCANTILE ROWING CLUB.

The general quarterly meeting of the members of the Mercantile Rowing Club was held at the Exchange Hotel on Wednesday night. There was a good attendance of members, the captain (Mr. Hall) being in the chair. After the minutes of the previous quarterly meeting had been read and confirmed, the report of the committee for the quarter was read as follows:—

"Report of the committee of the Mercantile Rowing Club for the quarter ending 30th September, 1878:—

"The principal item of importance since the last report of your committee is the purchase by the club of the damaged Clasper eight. This boat was one of the finest imported to the colonies, and as you are aware was unfortunately damaged during the passage from England. It has, however, been thoroughly repaired, and is now in almost as good a condition as ever.

"The club premises have been undergoing alteration and improvement by erecting an additional dressing-room and furnishing the clubroom. With reference to these alterations the committee desire to thank the gentlemen, particularly Mr. Alfred Byrne, who by their assistance have considerably lessened the expense.

"For the purpose of encouraging a good feeling between the two rowing clubs, your committee suggested to the Sydney Rowing Club the advisability of carrying out the eight-oar contest, and also having a combined regatta; but both suggestions were declined, the first on account of what were stated to be previous engagements, and we were informed with reference to the combined regatta that the public regattas would furnish enough opportunities for the members of the two clubs to meet in competition.

"A special general meeting of the members was held on the 18th of September to consider the advisability of having the club represented at the forthcoming Balmain Regatta. It was however, decided that, until the committee of the Balmain Regatta so altered their rules as to prevent the possibility of the umpire reversing the decision of the judge, the club ought not to be represented. Your committee have now much pleasure in informing you that they hear on good authority that the rules complained of have since been thoroughly revised, and as soon as an official intimation of the alteration has been received they will no doubt make arrangements for sending representative crews.

"The committee desire to congratulate the members on the increasing prosperity of the club, and are glad to say that the overdraft has been reduced since last report by nearly £100.

"The annual regatta of the club takes place on the 19th instant, and promises to be one of the most successful yet held.

"The death of one of our members, Mr. J. Williamson, is announced with deep regret."

Mr. GARVAN proposed, and Mr. W. SAYERS seconded,—"That the words 'and as soon as an official intimation of the alteration has been received they will make arrangements for sending representative crews' be struck out, and the words 'and should such intimation be borne out by the published rules of the Balmain committee, they will make arrangements to send a representative crew' be inserted."

After a good deal of discussion the amendment was thrown out and the report adopted.

The CHAIRMAN stated, for the information of those who intended to compete in the coming regatta, that the entries would close on Saturday next.

The CHAIRMAN then proceeded, amidst much applause, to present to Mr. Benson a very handsome silver centrepiece, from the members of the club, as a mark of esteem towards him and as a recognition of services rendered to the club.

Mr. BENSON returned thanks in a suitable speech, and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

The following is the inscription on the piece of plate presented to Mr. Benson: "Presented to Mr. W. R. Benson by the members of the Mercantile Rowing Club, in recognition of his many services. Sydney, October 2nd, 1878."

SYDNEY AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB.

The thirteenth meeting of the members of the above took place on Saturday at the Cricket Association's Ground on Moore Park. The attendance was very large, as at one time there could not have been less than 3000 people on the ground, and the various events seemed to excite the greatest interest, judging from the applause which greeted the successful competitors.

There is something in athletic sports, when the professional element is eliminated, which seems to render these meetings of greater interest than those on a racecourse. There is a certainty in the mind of the public that the various events are contested on their merits, and that the winning of a prize, be it of no more value than a few shillings, is an honour worthy of a struggle however desperate. The popularity of the English University boat races or athletic meetings, which has the effect of drawing together such enormous crowds of people, owes its origin mainly to the certainty in the minds of the spectators that everything is "fair and above board," and that the struggle for first place is created more by the desire to maintain the *prestige* of the University than any profit, however small, to the individual competitor. It is probable that the "*mens eadem in sidere mutato*" likewise exists here, and hence the more than ordinary interest taken in these Olympian games in this country.

On Saturday, the grand stand on the ground was crowded to excess, the preponderance of ladies being a marked feature. His Excellency the Governor and the viceregal party were early on the ground and remained until the programme was nearly exhausted. The German Band introduced the best selections they had in their *repertoire*, and the decorations of the stand in the way of displaying bunting and evergreens gave a *gala* appearance to the gathering which showed, at the least, that the committee considered the day one to be marked with a red letter, whatever the spectators might think.

That the athletes considered the competition a matter of serious moment might be inferred from the pains they had taken in the way of training. No sooner was an event over, and those who contested it came in, all flushed either into victory or excitement, perspiring either with exertion or nervousness, than sympathising friends—either lay or professional—were at hand with top coats to cover up the sweltering forms, or with towels ready to rub down the limbs and restore them to the suppleness so indispensable to preserve their vigour for another event. How many miles some of these young men ran on Saturday afternoon is best known to the keeper of the records. They appeared very much in the light of racehorses, and were "trotted" out, as it were, time after time, after scientific manipulation by their trainers, to try their mettle over and over again. Let us hope that none of them are the worse for it. Of the display of athletic prowess, viewed in the abstract, not very much can be said. The official time shows that there was no *fiasco* in any event; but at the same time nothing very wonderful was done by any one, nor could any event be said to have been a hollow one. Mr. Lubliu, a late arrival from New Zealand, made things "uncommonly warm" in the various events he appeared in, and he carried off no small share of the honours. As a rule, the foot-racing was excellent; and Mr. Bowman's hurdle-jumping was as fine a display of saltation as any one would wish to witness.

The details of the various events will be found below, and a word of encomium is worthily due to the committee for the excellent way in which the programme was got through. The ground, it may be remarked, needs a good deal of adornment before it will come up in point of convenience to the old Albert ground, with which the public have been so long familiar, and if the cricket tournament is to be as successful as it is to be hoped it will be during the coming season, the directors of the ground should bestir themselves to improve the appurtenances considerably.

The weather on Saturday was simply magnificent, and this, no doubt, considerably helped the attendance. The programme was not got through until nearly 6 o'clock, when Mrs. Kent, of Ellyston, kindly distributed the prizes, which were all of an honorary as opposed to a pecuniary character, and comprised many articles of virtu of a very elegant description.

Subjoined is a detailed account of the proceedings:—

SCHOOLS WALKING.—1 mile; two prizes.
H. B. Charles, King's School 1
O. Maddocks, Morven School 2

This race was well-contested from start to finish, and out of the nine entries all the competitors came pretty close up. F. Roberts, of Calder House, came in first, but was disqualified by the judges. The official time was given as 8 minutes 40¼ seconds.

HIGH JUMP.—One prize.
J. O. Oxley 1

Oxley cleared five feet, and won pretty easily.

150 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Handicap; two prizes.

There were twenty-six entries in this event, and it was run in divisions. The result terminated in Mr. Lublin being placed first, and Mr. E. J. Brown second.

100 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Two prizes.
H. H. P. Lubliu 1
W. P. Simpson 2

In this race Lubliu had it all his own way, as when the pistol fired Simpson was left at the post, and never tried to race.

HURDLE RACE, 120 yards; handicap; over ten 3 feet 6 inch hurdles.—Two prizes.
E. M. Bowman, 10 yards 1
F. Farnell, scratch 2

Bowman, who was a long way ahead of his opponents in this event, won with comparative ease.

WALKING.—2 miles; handicap. Two prizes. Prize presented by Mr. J. Buckland.
J. A. Buckland, scratch 1
A. K. Tornaghi, 60 seconds 2

Buckland, in this event, had a great amount of ground to get over before he could pick up his opponents, but by one or two judicious spurts he overhauled Tornaghi, who walked capitally in the last half-mile and won comfortably by a hundred yards. Bros gave in early in the proceedings.

SCHOOLS.—Champion 440 yards Flat Race. Two prizes.
W. S. Brown, King's School 1
R. J. Higgins, Sydney Grammar School 2

There was a smart contest in this event, ending in a tolerably easy victory for Brown. The time was given as 59 seconds.

MAIDEN RACE.—100 yards. Two prizes. Open only to those who have never won a S. A. A. C. race.
W. C. White 1
A. G. Gerard 2

There was a strong muster in this race, and it was run in divisions, resulting as above. The time registered was 11½ seconds.

WIDE JUMP. One prize.
F. Kent 1
J. O. Oxley 2

Kent cleared 18 feet 8 inches, and Oxley 18 feet 6 inches. The ground was rather hard, and, after a few trials, the feet of the competitors were sorely tried.

QUARTER-MILE FLAT RACE.—Challenge Cup.—(To be won twice consecutively). Present holder, Mr. C. T. Arnheim. Two prizes and Club medal.
E. P. Simpson 1
C. B. Boydell 2

Mr. Arnheim, the previous holder, did not appear, and the contest lay entirely between Simpson and Boydell, when the former won pretty easily in 60 seconds.

HALF-MILE FLAT RACE.—Handicap. Two prizes.
G. B. Forster, 25 yards 1
M. Arnold, 15 yards.. 2

This was a capital race. Arnold got a good start and held his own for three parts of the course, when Forster came with a rush, and won splendidly with four or five yards to spare. Time, 2 minutes 8¼ seconds.

MAIDEN HURDLE RACE—120 yards. Over ten 3 feet 6 inch hurdles. Open only to those who have never won a S.A.A.C. Hurdle Race. Two prizes, presented by Mrs. Kent.
E. M. Bowman 1
F. King 2

In this race Bowman had all his own way, and won with comparative ease. King was a good second. Oxley, who was well in it, fell. The time was not taken.

STRANGERS' 200 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Open to members of any amateur athletic club, qualified under the S. A. A. Co.'s definition of an amateur. Two prizes.
W. S. Brown, K. S. A. A. C. 1
G. I. Sefton, M. A. A. C. 2

This was a smart race, and run in 23¼ seconds. Brown got the best of the start, but the rest kept all in a cluster. W. B. Fairfax was a capital third, and a handkerchief could have covered the three at the finish.

POLE JUMP.—One prize.
F. Kent 1
F. Farnell 2

There was a good deal of humbug over this event, as the bar was, at the request of the competitors, placed early in the proceedings too high for any of them to clear. Ultimately, the prize was given to Kent, who was said to have cleared 9 feet; but as other events were contested in the interim, this is simply the official return.

300 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Handicap; two prizes.
H. H. P. Lubliu, 12 yards 1
S. B. Levick, 15 yards 2

There was a good muster in this race, and, as all came in well together, it is difficult to say how the variations took place. The time was not particularly fast.

THREE MILES FLAT RACE.—Two prizes.—Vice-President's prize.
D. D. Middleton 1
G. B. Forster.. 2

This was one of the best events of the day. Arnold led off at a tremendous pace, and for a considerable time it seemed as if he had no one else in the race, but himself, but at two miles and a fraction he collapsed, and eventualy only two were left in the race, who finished as above. Time, 17 minutes 20 seconds.

220 YARDS FLAT RACE.—Two prizes. Prize presented by Messrs. Hardy, Brothers.
E. P. Simpson 1
E. J. Brown 2

There were seven entries for this event; and, after a short contest, E. P. Simpson came away twenty yards from home, and won tolerably easily. The rest were all well up at the finish. The time was given as 24 seconds.

FORCED HANDICAP.—150 yards. Compulsory for all winners, optional for losers.
A. C. Mansfield, 10 yards 1
G. B. Forster, 12 yards 2

This race was run in some confusion, as the crowd, anxious to see the prizes distributed, began to rush in the enclosure. As far as could be seen, Mansfield had his work cut out, and Forster was a capital second.

This event concluded the programme, which was got through in a manner highly creditable to the management.

KANGAROO BATTUE.

Marsupials have now become so numerous and destructive that the farmers and graziers of Lower Boro find it necessary to organize both large and small parties for their destruction, in the former case by battue and securing them in a yard, and the latter by shooting them down. Some few weeks have only elapsed since many hundreds were killed, still they are very plentiful, and the cultivators are in constant dread of these nocturnal pests making a raid on their crops and eating them off. From the 26th to 29th September, 1878, by a preconcerted arrangement of Messrs. Charles and Peter Roberts, of Lower Boro, a number of gentlemen met, when a preliminary assault on the outskirts was made in the first instance by a mounted party with excellent dogs, and in a few hours they captured twenty-five kangaroos, some of which were of the larger kind, and the others the fleet red wallaby, locally known as paddies. This was preparatory to the morning's assault, which was systematically arranged by the hosts to last two days.

The visitors and neighbours of both sexes mustered in good force on the 27th at the appointed rendezvous. All were mounted; and as every man had a truncheon they looked rather formidable as they received the direction to move off in single file to the right and to the left, each wing in command of a captain and the centre of a general. In due course the word "Forward" was given, and the cordon moved at a smart walk towards the wings of the enclosure. It was a matter of speculation whether there would be much game, as this part had been hunted only a few weeks before. However, the kangaroo soon became apparent, and when near the goal they displayed signs of uneasiness, made desperate efforts to break through the ranks, and many succeeded. The skill of the bush-riders was occasionally brought into play when some daring recreant endeavoured to escape; and the galloping of horses and the shouting of the people along the line startled many from their hiding-places. This capture, as expected, was not large.

By invitation all went to a feast in the woods, which was well arranged and abundant, and had justice done to it. The orders to mount and away for the long drive, extending over a large extent of country, were given, and this was truly exciting. When an old man kangaroo put in an appearance, a few drew out of the ranks, ran him down, and despatched him. Some of the kangaroos were very large, and showed their healed-up wounds—brands of old warriors. When the pursuers got near the wings the bustle and confusion were immense, numbers of kangaroos were slaughtered while endeavouring to get away, and when fairly in the wings all hands dismounted; then few escaped. There was a good haul in the yards, but it is impossible to tell the numbers killed, as they were scattered all over the ground. The yards and wings contained over 200. It was a noticeable fact that hundreds went out of the yards before the gates were closed; the old carcases dried up and fetid from the former drive gave them alarm, and nothing could get them back. They would rush forward and face the throng armed with weapons of destruction, and meet their death, but in no instance could one be turned back. These drives are conducted very like those of South Africa, except that there they have an immense hole for the game to fall in and trample one another to death; here we have high yards only.

The ladies of the party behaved heroically. Although it rained heavily the last day, they never quitted the ranks, but went boldly on, and no doubt through their determination to stick to their post many others were kept to the scratch. It was a sight and a treat to see them ride through the bush, and to hear their merry laugh when any excitement of the chase provoked merriment.

A vote of thanks at the wind-up was heartily accorded to our hosts, and the cheering ring of three hurrahs may have been heard miles off in the forest.

Those who had come long distances were entertained by Mr. Charles Roberts, and the following day was devoted to a hunt with the dogs. Some monsters were killed, and at the day's close a good bag was made up.

Our Australian Museum representatives present made a good haul, which will enrich that institution to a large extent, both in skins and in skeletons.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—ITS UNEQUALLED EFFICACY IN CONSUMPTION AND WASTING DISEASES.—Dr. Henry Hanks, author of "Consumption: its Treatment and Curability," writes:—"The superior efficacy of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil over the pale cod liver oil has proved, in my experience, unequivocal. Patients who have persisted for several months in the use of the latter, with scarcely any perceptible improvement, have, after a brief trial of Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil, acquired such fatness, and those distressing symptoms accompanying emaciation have so rapidly subsided, that I have been induced to confide in its reputed remedial powers, and consequently to advise its substitution for the Pale Cod Liver Oil." Mr. Benjamin Clarke, M.R.C.S., F.L.S., author of "Notes and Suggestions on Cod Liver Oil and its Uses," writes:—"The effect of the pale oil on the circulation is so feebly marked as not to be perceptible; so that in some cases of extreme debility, the patient, from the slowness of its action, is in danger of sinking from exhaustion, or the disease, as in consumption, may become incurable from protraction. My inference agrees with the remark that Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Oil effects a cure in half the time that the pale oil does." Dr. de Jongh's Light-brown Cod Liver Oil is sold only in capsuled imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists and druggists. Sole consignees, Ansar, Harford, and Co., 77, Strand, London. Agents at Sydney, Elliott, Brothers.—ADV.

PERFECTION.—Mrs. S. A. Allen's World's Hair Restorer (the Genuine only in Pink Paper Wrappers) never fails to restore grey hair to its youthful colour, imparting to it new life, growth, and lustrous beauty. Its action is certain and thorough, quickly banishing greyness. It is not a dye. It ever proves itself the natural strengthener of the hair. Its superiority and excellence are established throughout the world. Wholesale of ELLIOTT BROS. and Co., Sydney, and retail of all Chemists and Perfumers throughout the Colonies.—ADV.

LAW REPORT.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—SATURDAY.

SURRENDER.

William Smith, sawyer, of Middling Bank. Causes of insolvency:—Inability to get in book debts, and pressure of judgment creditors. Liabilities, £112 5s. Assets, £85.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, OCTOBER 7.

Prothonotary's Office.—For taxation: Cohen v. Sandeman, at half-past 10 o'clock, to examine transcript; same v. same, at half-past 10 o'clock, to tax costs; Bosanquet v. Aitkenhead, at 11 o'clock; Tlarks and another v. Nettle, at half-past 11 o'clock.

INSOLVENCY COURT.

Monday, October 7, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Samuel Jones, adjourned examination; George Oliver, examination of insolvent; William Henry Haigh, examination of witnesses; James Erwin, examination of insolvent and witnesses; Elizabeth Simpson, adjourned examination, also adjourned second; Charles Meyers, for release of estate. Before the District Commissioner, at Orange: Charles Archer, first and only.

Tuesday, October 8, at 11 a.m.—Before the Chief Commissioner: Certificate Applications—Thomas Exton, Emmett Washington Mawson, Thomas Harrington Line, John Bailey (trading as Bailey and Hamil), Arthur Allen Gaskins, William Grounds, Benjamin Benjamin. Before the District Commissioner, at Albury: Robert Stratton, first and only.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.—MONDAY, OCTOBER 7.

Duffin v. Jones, Dickson and another v. Reickens, Brown v. Martin and another, Bennett and another v. Fletcher, Collings v. Lawrence, Green v. Hartigan, Prince and another v. Wentworth, Way v. Pointer, Verge v. Usher, Smith v. Whitehead, Taylor v. Hayes, Morgan v. Zeplin, Nicol v. Cooper, Beilby v. M'Hugh, Middleton v. Sutherland, M'Intosh v. Hall, Gilhooley v. Madden, Farmer and others v. Beveridge, Hawksford v. Barnett, Watt v. Thomas, Farrell v. Pert, Artlett v. Riva, Larkin v. Brady, Peaped and another v. Hill, Commercial Bank v. Oliver, Chapman v. Perdriau, Fugill and another v. M'Mah, Allen and another v. Faint and another, May v. Larnach, Duval v. Norris.

POLICE.

CENTRAL POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

(*Before the* POLICE MAGISTRATE, *with Messrs.* SMART, CUNNINGHAME, *and* W. FOWLER.)

Thirteen persons were fined for drunkenness; and one, Ann Carey, charged with being an habitual drunkard, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to be imprisoned three months.

John Mulholland, found guilty of having in George-street, at 3 p.m., offended against decency, was sentenced to pay a penalty of 10s., or to be imprisoned four days.

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WATER POLICE COURT.

SATURDAY.

(*Before Messrs.* HUNT, EDWARDS, *and* TAYLOR.)

Four cases of drunkenness were dealt with.

William Lennox, charged with having a quantity of tea and sugar in his possession, reasonably supposed to be stolen, was sent to gaol for three months.

John Kirkpatrick was charged with attempting to commit suicide by cutting his throat. The evidence showed that prisoner had been confined for lunacy in the Gladesville Asylum, from which institution he was released in June last; he then resumed work at his trade, which was that of a stonemason, and at the same time he took lodgings in the Gladesville Hotel, Gladesville. On the morning of the 12th of August, a fellow-workman named John Smith, who occupied the same room with the prisoner, was awoke by gurgling sounds; and on striking a light found Kirkpatrick with a deep gash across the throat, from which the blood was pouring; on the bed was a razor covered with blood. Dr. Joseph, the medical superintendent of the Gladesville Asylum, was immediately called in and dressed the wound, which had completely severed the windpipe, and which for some time threatened to cause death. Senior-constable Done, of Ryde police-station, took charge of Kirkpatrick, and as soon as possible had him conveyed to the Infirmary, where he remained under police supervision until his wound was sufficiently healed for him to be taken to the Police-court. When the prisoner was asked if he wished to make any statement, he endeavoured to speak, but the sounds produced were quite incomprehensible; he was accordingly offered paper, upon which he wrote that he was innocent, but that he was guilty of cutting his throat. The Bench committed the prisoner to take his trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions. It is thought that Kirkpatrick was insane when he committed the act.

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SHIPPING SHEEP.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I desire your permission to reply to the note of the second officer of the Caledonia mailship Gunga, as published in your issue of to-day.

I dare assert, and I will prove the assertion whenever I am called upon by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, that the sheep shipped by the Gunga on her last voyage were cruelly maltreated.

I enclose my name. VIATOR.

RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRISONERS.—On Saturday morning, August 3rd, at 11 o'clock, Robert Kelly, the man who was tried and acquitted for the wilful murder of head-constable Talbot, and subsequently sentenced to 15 years' penal servitude for having on the occasion that Talbot was murdered wounded a police constable who attempted to arrest him, was liberated from Mountjoy Prison, Dublin. He has undergone seven years' penal servitude in Spike Island, and he is now discharged owing to shattered health, and was liberated after an hour's notice. The murder of Talbot created at the time great excitement in Ireland, and was applauded by some persons. Talbot was employed as a detective and he took a very prominent part in the prosecution against the Fenians, into whose ranks he had enlisted in order to betray to the Government their secrets. His evidence convicted many of the leaders of that movement. One night while he was proceeding home at 12 o'clock, he was shot in one of the very public streets. The ball entered the base of his skull and he died a week after. Kelly was arrested near the scene of the murder with a six-chamber revolver, three of which were loaded and three recently discharged; two had been discharged at constables while the prisoner was chased. At the trial for murder evidence was given which alleged that the wounded man was unskilfully treated by the medical attendants. The released man makes serious charges against Spike Island.—*Morning Post.*

THE BISHOP OF EXETER ON RITUALISTIC DISPUTES.—The Bishop of Exeter has given a decision in a ritual dispute at St. Paul's, Devonport, which had been referred to him. His lordship says:—"I see on the one side a carping spirit of criticism, ready to suspect, prone to find fault, disposed to magnify trifles into serious offences. I see on the other side a very culpable and selfish indifference to the pain and alarm which are caused by needless innovations. The changes that have been introduced, however harmless in themselves, ought not to have been introduced without first ascertaining that they would not give offence to any parishioner attending the church, and those who complained of those charges ought to have shown while complaining a much more tolerant, more reverent, more charitable spirit. It is clear that the only decision that can be given in such a dispute is the legal decision. The candles must not be lighted except for the purpose of giving light. The chalice must not be mixed. The gate of the communion rails removed without authority must be replaced. As the court would in all probability if applied to grant a confirmatory faculty for candles, the vases, and the brass cross, it would be absurd to order such small matters to be taken away because a faculty for accepting them from the donors had not been obtained. But I entreat both sides to consider how very lowering a spectacle is presented by such disputes as these before the eyes of all the enemies of the Church. I entreat the laity not to be so ready to treat these trifles as matters of serious concern, and I entreat the clergy not to provoke such quarrels, which far more than undo the good of their best and most devoted work."

RUSSIA AND CENTRAL ASIA.—There can be no charge of duplicity and insincerity established against Russia in her dealings with the Khanates of Central Asia—no imputation on the perfectly plain and consistent course she has pursued in extending her arms and establishing her power south of the Oxus. It may be that the expeditionary forces of which we now hear as preparing to clear their way through the dominions of the Khan of Bokhara may have no very serious object and no design against the peace of our Indian Empire, but if they engage in hostilities with the Ameer and occupy any part of Afghanistan, we cannot by shutting our eyes and ears place the people of Hindostan in a position of security, and save ourselves from the mischief which would come out of the approach of a Russian army to our frontiers. It may be that Russia needs an expedition to restore her prestige and prop up the influence of the Czar in Central Asia, but its results to us will not be doubtful. Russia does not beat about the bush at all—she marches straight into it, and we, apparently, must only fold our hands and look on quietly at her progress.—*Army and Navy Gazette.*

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Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.
Regular sales at the Bazaar, daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

HEAVY DRAUGHT MARE.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay draught mare, in foal to draught stallion Lincoln. She is very powerful and good in collar.
Bay Match Carriage Horse.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A bay gelding, 16 hands, broken to single and double harness, just arrived from Maitland; would make a good saddle horse.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by J. Leeah, Esq., to sell by auction at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, October 7, at 11 o'clock,
2000 prime and weighty fat shorn sheep.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by J. Jenkins, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, October 7, at 11 o'clock,
60 head of prime and weighty fat cattle.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by Messrs. M'Millan, Brothers, and Co., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, October 7, at 11 o'clock,
1861 prime fat sheep.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have been instructed by W. B. Smith, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Yards, Homebush, on MONDAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime and weighty fat bullocks, from his noted Darlalara paddocks, by rail, and superior to those last sold.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from W. Smith, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 7th instant,
151 prime and weighty bullocks, from his Narroway Lucerne Paddocks.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK have received instructions from J. Whiting, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, the 7th instant,
800 prime fat sheep, by train from Wallerawang.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions from Andrew Gibson, Esq., to sell by auction, THIS DAY, the 7th instant, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
135 prime fat bullocks, in lots, from the Bland.

PRIZE COW.

G. M. PITT and SON have received instructions to sell by auction, THIS DAY, Monday, at the Homebush Yards, at 11 o'clock,
1 pure-bred Hereford heifer, from Messrs. Learmonth's noted Groongal herd, Riverina, and for which an offer of £100 has been made, if she proves a breeder.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

W. FULLAGAR and SON have received instructions from R. Ridge, Esq., to sell, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
100 prime cattle.
Terms, cash.

GRIFFITHS and WEAVER have received instructions from Mr. Edward White to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th October, at 11 o'clock,
65 extra prime lucerne-fed BULLOCKS, direct from the noted Martindale paddocks.

FAT WETHERS. FAT BULLOCKS.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 7th October, at 11 a.m.,
1000 fat weighty wethers
50 prime fat bullocks.
Heavy Draught Colts
Heavy Draught Colts.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions from John M'Elhone, Esq., to sell by auction, at Camperdown, on WEDNESDAY, 9th October, at 2 o'clock,
25 grand heavy draught colts, suitable for brewers or draymen at this particular season, selected especially on account of their size and excellent breeding.
Terms, cash.

BRUNKER, WOLFE, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by action, at Homebush, on MONDAY, the 7th October, at 11 o'clock, on account of Thomas Halloran, Esq.,
1230 prime fat wethers.
Also,
700 prime fat wethers, from Yarrabee,
and
500 prime fat shorn wethers, represented to average 60 lbs.

PARKER and CO. will sell by auction, at their Yards, 716, George-street (rear of Square and Compass Hotel), on FRIDAY, 11th October, at 10 o'clock,
Poultry and pigs.
At 12 o'clock,
100 cases oranges, potatoes, and farm produce.
At 2 o'clock,
a assortment of groceries, teas, crockery, hollowware, ironmongery, &c., &c.
NO RESERVE.

WILLIAM INGLIS will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the Railway, at 9 o'clock,
Hay and straw, by the truck.
At 11 o'clock,
Maize, oats, potatoes, pumpkins, &c., &c.

BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS. BUTCHERS.

EXTRAORDINARY PRIME AND WEIGHTY FAT CATTLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. Dunn and M'Kinnon to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, October 7th, at 11 o'clock,
200 head exceedingly prime fat cattle, heavy weights, from the celebrated Yanco and Yaruma station paddocks, considered to be the finest in the Riverina district.

FAT CATTLE. FAT CATTLE. FAT CATTLE.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. C. and H. Dunn to sell by auction, at the Homebush Yards, THIS DAY, October 7, at 11 o'clock,
100 exceedingly prime fat cattle, from the well-known Bonabi and Arthursleigh paddocks.

HALL, PRINCE, and CO. will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9, Hay, straw, chaff, bran, potatoes, and colonial produce.

GARLING and FRASER will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9,
Hay and straw, by the truck
Other produce in lots.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, maize, oats, potatoes, pumpkins
40 trucks Bathurst bale hay and straw, 20 bales oaten chaff.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, EVERY DAY, at 10 o'clock, Wood, &c.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Newtown Railway Station, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, Wood, &c.

TUESDAY, half-past 10 o'clock.

HAY. HAY. HAY.

A. S. N. CO.'S NEW WHARF, late CAMPBELL'S WHARF.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, TO-MORROW, half-past 10 o'clock,
131 bales prime lucerne hay, ex Coonanbara—to arrive.

R. N. SADLEAR will sell by auction, on A. S. N. Co.'s (late Campbell's) Wharf, at 11 a.m., on TUESDAY, 8th instant,
200 bales prime lucerne hay.

R. N. SADLEAR will sell by auction, on Smith's Wharf, ex Wakatipu,
340 sacks prime New Zealand potatoes.

SAYERS and CO. will sell, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock, Hay, &c.; at 12, Wood.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10th,
AT HALF-PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK,
unless previously disposed of by private contract,
AT THE CELLARS, MORT'S-PASSAGE,
IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED CLEARING SALE of
WINES
(FOREIGN and COLONIAL),
BRANDIES, &c.,
as also the LEASE and GOODWILL of PREMISES.

Under instructions from
Messrs. COWPER, FIRTH, and CO.
TO CLOSE PARTNERSHIP ACCOUNTS.

J. B. TAYLOR and CO., having been favoured with instructions from Messrs. Cowper, Firth, and Co., will SELL by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Cellars as above, on THURSDAY, October 10th, at half-past 11 o'clock,
The whole of their large and very valuable stock of OLD WINES, BRANDIES, &c., as also the goodwill and lease of premises.
Terms, cash. No reserve.
Full particulars in future issue.
Catalogues, in course of preparation, to be had on WEDNESDAY, either at the Cellars, or at the offices of the Auctioneers, 355, George-street.

TUESDAY, 8th instant, at 11 o'clock.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

Superior and useful HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and effects (nearly new), Splendid DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Walnut, Blue Damask; WALNUT TABLE, Canterbury, Proof Engravings, Splendid BRUSSEL CARPET, Stair Carpet, Rug, Oil-cloth, China, and Coir Matting, Fenders, Dining Tables, Chairs, Chiffonier, Hall Table, Splendid Plated Ware, Ornaments, Lustres, Lamps, Clock, Iron Bedsteads, Splendid Feather Bed, Three Magnificent Chest Drawers, Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from the proprietress to sell by auction, in consequence of leaving Sydney, on the premises, No. 8, Emerson's-terrace, Underwood-street, Paddington.
Without reserve.
On view morning of sale, from 9 o'clock.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Darling Harbour, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, lucerne, maize, potatoes, &c.
At 10 o'clock, Wood.

THIS DAY, October 7th, at 11 o'clock.

STRACHAN and CO. will sell by auction, on the premises of A. Hordern, Esq.
The whole of his extensive plant, consisting of—
1000 American doors
1000 sashes
American locks and hinges
Engineers' fittings, steam-engine and boilers, about 20 tons old iron, and a large quantity of iron work
Also, 20,000 feet foreign and colonial timber, posts, rails, and shingles
Cement and plaster of paris
Carriages, buggies, drays, horses, and harness
Also, a quantity of household furniture, marquees and tents, with a large assortment of other goods to numerous to mention.
Owing to Mr. Hordern's projected departure for the United States, the whole must be cleared off without reserve.
Terms, cash.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising
Pianofortes, Drawing and Dining Room Suites, Telescope and other Tables, Carpets, Floorcloths, Pier Glasses, Chiffoniers, Chests Drawers, Iron and Wood Bedsteads, Bedding, Toilet Tables and Glasses, Baths, Washstands and Sets, Wood and Cane Chairs, Stoves, Counters, Shop Fittings, Lawn Mowers, &c.

ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street, The above.

To Hotelkeepers and Private Buyers.
On FRIDAY, 11th October, at 12 o'clock,
on the premises, Native Rose Hotel, corner Cleveland and Shepherd streets, Darlington.

Lease, License, Goodwill, and Bar Fixtures, in one lot, and the Superior Household Furniture separate, comprising Horse-hair Suite, Pier Glasses, Chiffoniers, Carpets, Safes, Round Tables, Chairs, Ornaments, Pictures, Glassware, Single and Double Iron Bedsteads and Bedding, Toilet Glasses and Toilet Tables, Washstands and Sets, and Kitchen Utensils.

JOSEPH and CO. have received instructions from Mr. Edward Conn, sen., to sell by public auction, on the premises, Native Rose Hotel, corner Cleveland and Shepherd streets, Darlington, without reserve. Terms, cash.

Unredeemed Pledges.

H. L. DUNN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 204, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. R. D. Miller, of Park-street, consisting of clothing, boots, blankets, &c.

UNDER BILL OF SALE.

To People Furnishing.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.

ANDREW ALLAN has received instructions to sell by auction, on the premises, 336, Crown-street, opposite the water Reservoir, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The entire household furniture and effects, comprising
Drawing-room suite, Brussels carpet
Sideboard, pier glass
Electroplated ware, engravings
Tubular bedstead, bedding
Hair mattress, bolsters, and pillows
Chests Drawers, oval toilet glasses
Dinner service, crockery
Kitchen utensils, and every requisite for a well furnished house.
Terms, cash. The house to Let.
☞ Office—129, King-street.

TUESDAY, at 11 a.m.

TO PARTIES FURNISHING.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

ALFRED ALLEN and CO. will sell by auction TO-MORROW, October 8,
at Richmond Villa,
Waverley Road, near PIPER-STREET,
DRAWING-ROOM Suite
PIER GLASS
A FINE TELESCOPE TABLE
CHAIRS, BEDDING, &c., &c.
EVERYTHING IN GOOD ORDER.
NO RESERVE.
ALFRED ALLEN, and CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
49, Market-street.

UNDER A BILL OF SALE.
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
DINING-ROOM SUITES, in horsehair
DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, in rep and cretonne
WALNUT CENTRE TABLES, PIER GLASSES
Extending Telescope Dining Table, oval ends
Cane and Wood Seat Chairs
Loo and Dining Tables, Chiffoniers
Double and Single Bedsteads, with Pulu Beds
Chests Drawers, Washstands, and Fittings
Dinner Service, Dessert Service, hand-painted
Kitchin Furniture, &c., &c.
Square Grand Pianoforte
WALNUT HARMONIUM, very fine quality and tone, 7 stops, by ALEXANDRE.
Also Ironmongery and Nails.

R. J. HUGHES and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 292, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11,
The superior household furniture, harmonium, &c., removed to Rooms by virtue of a bill of sale.
Without reserve.

FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER.

ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of
DIAMOND,
TURQUOISE,
GARNET,
CORAL, and
FINEST GOLD JEWELLERY,
Ex s.s. Whampoa, from London.
Personally selected by a great connoisseur from the stock of the well-known and celebrated
COURT JEWELLERS of EUROPE,
Messrs. H. A. GRANICHSTAEDTER, of Wien, and
Messrs. JOH. HUEBER, of Wien.

The selection comprises
LADIES' MARQUIS RINGS, magnificently set with Diamonds, Turquoise, Garnets, &c.
GENTLEMEN'S RINGS OF THE LATEST FASHIONS, elegantly set with diamonds, GARNETS, TURQUOISE, ROSE-COLOURED CORAL, &c.
HANDSOME PENDANT and BROOCH, composed of various rare stones from India
NECKLET and EARRINGS of extraordinary beauty and rarity, mounted with 17 ARABIC GOLD COINS
MASSIVE PEARL PIN, set as a LOHNGRIEN HELMET
ELEGANT BROOCHES and SCARF PINS, set with Genuine Antique Cameos from EGYPT
MAGNIFICENT ROSE-COLOURED CORAL BROOCHES, EARRINGS, and Scarf Pins, artistically carved, and of great rarity
EARRINGS, MASSIVELY SET WITH TURQUOISE, DIAMONDS, Garnets, &c.
SOLITAIRES AND SHIRT STUDS, IN PEARLS OF GREAT purity and match
NECKLETS, BROOCHES, and EARRINGS, in Suites, in Garnets, all splendid stones
HANDSOME VEST BUTTONS, in sets, in ROSE-COLOURED CORAL.
A very CHOICE COLLECTION of ROSE-COLOURED CORAL and TURQUOISE BUTTONS, assorted,
for manufacturing purposes, &c., &c.

To Jewellers, Connoisseurs, Private Gentlemen, Collectionists, and the Trade generally.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions to sell by AUCTION, WITHOUT RESERVE, at their Rooms, 141, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 11th October, at 11 a.m.,
THE CHOICEST SHIPMENT OF JEWELLERY that has ever been offered under the hammer.
THE COLLECTION has been made by a great CONNOISSEUR (at present visiting Europe) and selected from the beautiful stocks of
Messrs. H. A. GRANICHSTAEDTER, and
Messrs. JOH. HUEBER,
EUROPEAN COURT JEWELLERS AT VIENNA.
In mentioning the names of these great firms, the Auctioneers do so with every CONFIDENCE and as a GUARANTEE that the goods are not only genuine so far as the stones and diamonds are concerned, but that the settings are of the best workmanship, taste, and fashions, and the gold of the finest quality.
THE DIAMONDS ARE ALL BRAZILIAN, and of the purest water.
THE WHOLE OF THE COLLECTION WILL BE ON VIEW at the Rooms of the Auctioneer, 141, Pitt-street, from Tuesday until the day of sale, when inspection is invited.
CATALOGUES in course of preparation.

TUESDAY, 8th October.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION,
an Assigned Estate
OF A COUNTRY STOREKEEPER.

By order of the Trustees.
WITHOUT THE SIGHTEST RESERVE.

To Clothiers, Drapers, Storekeepers, Hatters, Haberdashers, Hosiers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from the TRUSTEES in an ASSIGNED ESTATE to sell by auction, WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE, at their Rooms, 141, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 8th OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.,
The whole of the stock-in-trade, &c., of a country storekeeper, consisting of—
SLOPS of all descriptions, comprising MEN'S TROUSERS, suits, coats, vests, trousers and vests, &c., &c.
SHIRTS, crimean, cotton, linen, &c.
HATS and CAPS
HOSIERY, ties, scarfs, braces, belts, collars, undershirts, drawers, &c.
CUTLERY, glassware, crockery
IRONMONGERY, stationery
FANCY GOODS, electroplateware
Jewellery, &c., &c.
In consequence of the numerous lots to be offered, the sale will commence punctually at 11 a.m.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

CORKS.

VELVET WINE, SODA, and GINGER BEER,
for sale by auction, at the Rooms,
on TUESDAY, October 8, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

BANGOR SLATES.

On account of whom it may concern.

Ex Remington, from London.

9,600 Purple Bangor, 22 x 11
6,000 ditto, 22 x 11
6,000 ditto, 20 x 12
10,000 ditto, 20 x 10
2,500 ditto, 18 x 10
3,000 ditto, 16 x 10
3,000 ditto, 16 x 8
4,000 ditto, 18 x 10.
For sale by auction, at Parbury's Wharf, Dawes Point, on THIS DAY, October 7, at 3 sharp.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE.

St. Aubyn Villa, Park Road,
opposite Moore Park,

Residence of ALBERT G. HANSON, Esq.

In consequence of his approaching departure for England,

GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON are instructed by him to sell by public auction, at his residence, Park road, opposite Moore Park, on WEDNESDAY, 9th October, at 11 o'clock a.m.,
The whole of his very handsome, substantial, and elegant
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
GLASS and PLATED WARE
CARPETS, &c., &c., &c.
ELEGANT and SUBSTANTIAL SUITE of DINING FURNITURE
comprising—
SIDEBOARD with MIRROR BACK
HANDSOME DINING-TABLE
COUCH, EASY CHAIRS, and DINING CHAIRS
LARGE and ELEGANT FRAMED CHIMNEY GLASS
BREAKFAST-ROOM FURNITURE, complete, and in the best style
BEAUTIFUL DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, of COUCH, EASY CHAIRS, and SMALL ditto
HANDSOME CABINET WHATNOTS
OCCASIONAL TABLES
VERY ELEGANT PIER GLASS
CHOICE BRUSSELS CARPETS
A large but select variety of Drawing-room Ornaments, in Dresden and other wares
Very handsome and unique Suite of BEDROOM FURNITURE, in HUON and CEDAR, comprising WARDROBE, DRESSING, and TOILET TABLES, CHESTS DRAWERS, large and handsome Black and Gold Half Tester BEDSTEAD, with furniture of the very best description; other BEDROOM FURNITURE of the first quality, and a large variety of minor articles, as enumerated in catalogue.
The whole of the above furniture is almost new, elegant in style, and of the very best possible quality.
☞ The GLASS and PLATED WARE are also choice, and are in perfect order.
CATALOGUES now ready at the Rooms, 273, George-street.
The furniture, &c., will be on view on TUESDAY, 8th October.
Sale, WEDNESDAY, 9th October, at 11 o'clock.

MARRIAN'S ALE.

54 Hogsheads Marrian's No. 3.

For Auction Sale, at the Rooms, on
TUESDAY, October 8, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.

In lots to suit purchasers.

☞ Bulk can be inspected,
prior to sale,
at the Argyle Bond.

PIANOFORTES.

Just landed, ex Centurion, from London.

By order of the consignees.

1 Mahogany Pianette by Vogelsang
1 ditto ditto
1 Ebony and Walnut ditto.
These superior instruments by the above celebrated maker, will be sold by auction, at the Rooms, by
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON,
THURSDAY, October 10th, at 11.

SUGARS.

Fine Counter and

Bright Grainy Rations.
A—40 pockets
B—100 ditto
C—426 ditto
D—168 ditto
E— 57 ditto
F— 64 ditto.
For Sale by Auction, at the Rooms, on
TUESDAY, October 8, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.
Samples at Rooms.

TWENTY-FOUR CASES GUINNESS' PORTER.

12 ditto OLD TOM.

47 ditto BRANDY.

38 ditto CHAMPAGNE.

22 ditto WHISKY.

65 ditto GENEVA,
for absolute sale,
by order of the consignees,
TUESDAY, October 8, at 11.
GILCHRIST, STUBBS, and WESTON.
Full particulars at sale.

FINAL SALE, THIS DAY, at 11 a.m.,
of the
ART TREASURES OF JAPAN.

THIS DAY, Monday, at 11 a.m.,
at the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets,
of the
DUPLICATES
of the
INTERESTING OBJECTS
forming the JAPANESE COURT at the PARIS
EXPOSITION, NOW ASTONISHING
THE WHOLE WORLD by their
GROTESQUENESS,
GREAT VALUE,
EXTRAORDINARY BEAUTY.
and
EXQUISITENESS OF FINISH.

☞ THE FOURTH GRAND SHOW TO-DAY.

LADIES SPECIALLY INVITED.

MONDAY, 7th October, at 11 a.m.

At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.

HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE
of
JAPANESE ART MANUFACTURES,
comprising
RARE PORCELAINS.

KIOTO, SATSUMA, OWAKI, KAGA, BANKO, and
HIREN Tête-à-tête Sets
EXQUISITE Vases
CHOICE Flowerpots and Comports
SUPERB Dessert Services
HANDSOME Punch-bowls, Card-dishes, and Plates.
ENAMELLED WARE.

A SPLENDID Assortment of the finest KIOTO, OWARI, SHIPPO, YAKI, or Enamelled Porcelain VASES, Koros, Spills, Flower Pots, &c.

BRONZES.
Exquisite Kaga and Kioto BRONZES, consisting of Vases, Spills, Centre Pieces, Storks, Braziers, Candlesticks, Incense Burners, with a choice variety of IRON PUNCH-KETTLES, inlaid with gold and silver.
LACQUER WARE.
CABINETS, highly ornamented with Gold and Silver, and Pearl and Porcelain.
Jewel Boxes, Work Boxes, Work Tables, Glove Boxes, Fancy Boxes, Tobacco and Cigar Boxes, Writing Desks, CARD PLATES, in Lacquer, Bamboo, and Tortoiseshell.
BAMBOO WARE.
Ladies' Fancy Baskets, Bowls, Spills, Dish Mats, Trays, and good useful Baskets, assorted.
STRAW COLOURED GOODS.
FINEST ARIMA Straw-covered Boxes, Trays, Puzzles, Glove Boxes, Cabinets, Work Boxes, &c., &c., in great variety.
TOYS.
ASSORTED TOYS, IN SMALL BOXES, JAPANESE DOLLS
Walking Sticks, Fishing Rods, Cinnabar Whatnots, Cornelian Goldstone, and other Beads for Necklaces, Armlets, Paper Flowers, Silk Balls.

TO THE GENTRY, PROPRIETORS OF FANCY REPOSITORIES, and the GENERAL PUBLIC.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from a gentleman many years resident in Japan to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, THIS DAY, Monday, 7th October, at 11 a.m.
THE MOST BEAUTIFUL selection of JAPANESE ART MANUFACTURE ever brought to this colony.
Terms, cash.
☞ The hundreds of persons of all classes who have responded to our invitation to inspect is crowning evidence of the interest these WONDERFUL and UNIQUE productions have awakened throughout the city.

WEDNESDAY, 9th October, at 11 a.m.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT SALE OF PICTURES,
UNDER A BILL OF SALE,
at the Premises, Pitt-street, late Brown's Fine Art Gallery.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received imperative instructions to sell by auction, at the Premises, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, 9th October, at 11 a.m.,
LARGE SELECTION VALUABLE PICTURES.
Terms, cash.

TUESDAY, 8th October, at 11 o'clock, punctually.

MANCHESTER GOODS
WOOLLENS
CLOTHING
MEN'S and WOMEN'S HOSIERY
DRESS MATERIALS
SHIRTS
HATS and CAPS, &c.

MERRITT, FISHER, and CO. are instructed to submit to public auction, on TUESDAY next, at their Rooms, 422, George-street,
Invoices of the above goods.
Now being landed.
Terms at sale.

UNDER A BILL OF SALE.

STOCK-IN-TRADE OF A FANCY WAREHOUSEMAN.

REMOVED TO THE ROOMS FOR CONVENIENCE IN SELLING.

To be sold by auction, on THURSDAY next, October 10th, at 11 o'clock, punctually, by
MERRETT, FISHER, and CO.,
422, George-street.
Terms, cash.

CLIPPER BARQUE ISLAND CITY,
well and favourably known in the NEW ZEALAND trade.

This vessel being in the market for unreserved sale, a most advantageous inducement is offered.

On an early day, at the City Mart, by order of the Executors of the late Captain HUGH
FAIRCLOUGH,
and to close partnership account.

L. E. THRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the City Mart, on an early day after arrival in Newcastle, the clipper barque ISLAND CITY, well-known, and a favourite in the New Zealand trade.
Built in the State of Maine, 420 tons register, has large carrying capacity, and is as smart a vessel as any in the port. Gear and stores in admirable order; can go to sea at a moment's notice.
Purchasers are invited to inspect her on arrival in Newcastle.
The sale is peremptory, to close accounts.
Terms at sale.

[illegible]AL OF THE TEA CLIPPER
WILLIAM MANSON

CONGOU TEAS, 1878–
THE BEST [illegible] MOST SUITABLE SHIPMENT OF THE PRESENT SEASON

The entire Ca[illegible] the Barque William Manson, from Foochow direct,

compris[illegible]
[illegible] Chests
[illegible] Half-chests
[illegible]02 Boxes
[illegible]00 Boxes finest S. O. Pekoe
[illegible]50 Boxes Gunpowder Tea.

☞ The A[illegible]neers are instructed to clear off the entire cargo at auction WEDNESDAY, October 9, at the City Mart.

THIS SHIP[illegible]T COMPRISES THE CHOICEST SELECTION OF 12-[illegible]OXES, besides serviceable Congous in Half chests.

•,• The mu[illegible]packages are now open at the City Mart, and will be found [illegible]nspection to possess FULL RICH FLAVOUR and GO[illegible]TRENGTH, evenly made, and of the most suitable de[illegible]s for counter and country requirements.
FIRST-CRO[illegible]AS, specially bought at the opening of the FOOCH[illegible]MARKET, and embrace all the excellencies of and ear[illegible]EAMER-BORNE shipments without taxing the dealer [illegible]nsumer with the EXCESSIVE freight.
Buyers are [illegible]d to make themselves acquainted with the merits of each [illegible].

The WILL[illegible] MANSON'S Cargo was purchased at the EARLI[illegible] OPENING of the FOOCHOW TEA SEASON. THE 12-lb. [illegible]ES form an especial feature, and the importer's knowle[illegible]f the requirements of the Sydney market is further [illegible]ved by the JUDICIOUS SELECTION OF THE CARGO.

[illegible]Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, October 9,
at the City Mart.

Un[illegible]structions from Messrs. JOHN FRAZER and CO.

L. E. T[illegible]ELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the C[illegible]Mart, on WEDNESDAY, October 9, at 11 o'clock
The [illegible]e cargo of CHOICE FIRST CROP CONGOU T[illegible], ex WILLIAM MANSON, from Foochow, comp[illegible]g—
[illegible]3 chests
[illegible]3 half-chests
[illegible]2 boxes
[illegible]0 boxes finest S. O. pekoe, short leaf.

This car[illegible]s SPECIALLY SELECTED to the order of the importers, [illegible]will be found to merit the assertion that it is one of the MOST [illegible]VICEABLE SHIPMENTS of the season.
The Auc[illegible]ers are instructed to notify that it is the determination of the [illegible]orters to sell the cargo at auction,
WITHOUT RESERVE.
Terms unusually liberal.

PORT COOPER CHEESE.

JUST ARRIVED, ex WAKATIPU.

[illegible]PLENDID ORDER AND CONDITION.

L. E. [illegible]RELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the [illegible]ooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 9, at 11 o'clock,
20 c[illegible] Port Cooper cheese.
Terms at sale.

ELEME RAISINS.

JUST LANDED.

L. E. [illegible]RELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the [illegible]ooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 9, at 11 o'clock,
100 [illegible]s Eleme raisins.
Terms at sale.

FENCING WIRE,
JUST LANDED.

O[illegible]CCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

[illegible]HURSDAY, October 11, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. [illegible]HRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the [illegible]ms, on THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
100 [illegible]dles fencing wire, 6 to 10.
Terms, cash.

T[illegible]HE BOOT and SHOE TRADE and others.

INVOICE[illegible] NEW and SEASONABLE BOOTS and SHOES

Ex CENTURION.

L. E. [illegible]HRELKELD and CO. have been favoured wit[illegible]instructions to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on FRIDAY, [illegible]h instant, at 11 o'clock,
A fi[illegible]-class assortment of ladies', gent.'s, and children's [illegible]ts and shoes.
Terms at sale.

Clarence and Richmond River Sugars.

Just arrive[illegible] PLATYPUS and NEW ENGLAND STEAMERS
982 POCKETS Sugar,
COUNTERS and BROWNS.

L. E. [illegible]RELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 9th, at 11 o'clock,
982 [illegible]kets colonial sugar.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, 10th instant, at 10.30.

[illegible]ARTHENWARE, CHINA, and GLASS.
300 Packages.

Unde[illegible]structions from Messrs. MASON, BROTHERS.

L. E. [illegible]HRELKELD and CO. have received instructions from Messrs. Mason, Brothers, to sell by auction, at the City M[illegible], on THURSDAY, October 10, at half-past 10 sharp,
300 origi[illegible] packages
[illegible]ARTHENWARE, CHINA, and GLASS,
consisting of
EA[illegible]HENWARE—Printed, granite and lined cups and [illegible]ucers, plates, dishes, vegetable dishes, bakers, toilet [illegible]s, jugs and basins, chambers, sugars, butters, bowls, [illegible]ngs, jugs, brown teapots, yellow bakers, lustre teapots, porous bottles, candlesticks, dinner sets, gilt and [illegible]cy toilet sets, dessert sets, &c., &c.
CHI[illegible]—White and gold, blue sprig and wreath cups and [illegible]ucers, plates, slops, milks, egg cups, butters, sugars, dishes, &c.; dessert sets, mugs, breakfast sets, &c., &c.
GLA[illegible]—Cut, pressed, and engraved tumblers, wines, &c.; [illegible]pelicans' glass, sugars, butters, decanters, carafes, [illegible]s, cruets, gas and kerosene globes, goblets, hocks, [illegible], &c.
N.B.—The goods have been specially imported to meet the requirements of this market, and will be sold without reserve, as is customary with all goods from this house.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

TIN PLATES, IC and IX.
COKE AND CHARCOAL.

JUST LANDED.
In splendid order and condition.

[illegible]HURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. TIRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at their [illegible]ooms, on THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
100 bo[illegible]es tin plates.
Terms at sale.

FINEST NEW ZEALAND BUTTER.

JUST LANDED, ex WAKATIPU.
In splendid order and condition.

[illegible]VEDNESDAY, October 9, at 11 o'clock.

L. E. TIRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at their [illegible]ooms, on WEDNESDAY, October 9, at 11 o'clock,
20 keg[illegible]finest New Zealand Butter.
Terms at sale.

GALVANIZED CORRUGATED IRON,
5 to 9 FEET LENGTHS.

Just landed
Ex Centurion.
For Positive Unreserved Sale
at the City Mart, on THURSDAY,
October 10, at 11 o'clock.

On account of whom it may concern.

L. E. TIRELKELD and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, on THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
Ex Centurion,
60 cases galvanized C. iron, 5 to 9 feet lengths.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

By order of the Consignees.

UNRESERVED SALE OF ORIGINAL PACKAGES.

HOYLES' PRINTS
BARLOW and JONES'S QUILTS
HORROCKSE'S LONGCLOTHS
CLOTHING
WOOLLENS
SHIRTINGS
PRINTED MOLE TROUSERS
MOSQUITO NETS
TRIMMINGS, HATS, TOWELS
COIR MATS and MATTING
TAPESTRY CARPETS and RUGS, &c., &c.

Ex Cimba, Ann Duthie, and Centurion.

On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 10th and 11th instant, at 11 a.m. each day.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 175 packages of new goods, now landing ex above ships.

TO BE OFFERED IN WHOLE PACKAGES.

Further particulars on Wednesday.

MONDAY, 7th October.

Boots and Shoes. Boots and Shoes.

New and seasonable goods, just landed, ex late arrivals, in splendid order.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Country Buyers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is favoured by the importers with instructions to sell by auction, in his Rooms, No. 228, George-street North, THIS DAY, the 7th instant, at 11 o'clock,
Invoices of new and seasonable boots and shoes, of several celebrated makers, just landed.
Terms, liberal, at sale.
No reserve.

MONDAY, 7th OCTOBER.

BOOTS AND SHOES. BOOTS AND SHOES.

The Stock-in-Trade of a country Storekeeper removed to the Rooms for convenience of Sale.

To the Boot and Shoe Trade, Dealers, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is instructed to sell, without reserve, in his Rooms, No. 228, George-street, THIS DAY, the 7th instant, at 11 o'clock,
The balance of a Storekeeper's Stock sent to the rooms for sale on account of the proprietor relinquishing the trade.
Terms, at sale.
No reserve.

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Auction Sales.

FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER.

VALUABLE SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS FOR SALE.

On the Ground, MARYVILLE, near MARRICKVILLE, close to the NEWTOWN RAILWAY STATION.

To Parties about to build, Speculators, and others.

MR. M. MOLONY is instructed to sell by auction, on the ground as above, on FRIDAY next, the 11th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
10 valuable suburban Allotments of LAND, each 33 feet by 100 feet
2 valuable suburban Allotments of LAND, each 31 feet by 100 feet
positively without reserve.

Terms at sale.

Title, grant from Crown.
A Plan is on view at the rooms of the Auctioneer, No. 299, George-street North, Sydney.

WEDNESDAY'S DRAPERY SALE.

PONGEE SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, TAMBOUR SPOT MUSLINS, LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING, ALL WOOL TWEEDS, MEN'S HALF HOSE, PRINTED MOLE TROUSERS, &c., &c.

JAMES RODD, successor to the late Charles Teakle, will sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, 9th instant, as above. Full particulars on Tuesday.

Preliminary Notice.

2 Brick COTTAGES, and 2 Allotments of LAND, the pick of the town of LIVERPOOL.

CHARLES A. SCRIVINER has been favoured with instructions from Edward Moore, Esq., to sell by auction, on the Ground, THIS DAY, October 7, at 11 a.m.,
A well-finished 4-roomed brick cottage, verandah back and front, brick kitchen, servant's room and pantry, at present occupied by Mr. Wright. The land on which this cottage is built has a frontage of 36 feet to Scott-street, with a depth of 149 feet to Terminus-street, to which it also has a good frontage. The cottage is on the Scott-street frontage, having a splendid open view within sight of and two minutes walk from the Railway Station.
A 4-roomed cottage in Terminus-street, occupied by Mr. Cowan, having 2 front rooms, brick back, 2 rooms weatherboarded, with small kitchen adjoining. This has a frontage of about 50 feet.
Also a splendid block of land, separated from above properties, by a lane 15 feet wide, and having large frontages to both Scott and Terminus streets.

The above are a portion of the estate of the late Mr. Richard Bull, and are situated in the very best part of this town. The superior character of the property, its splendid situation for any purposes must recommend it either to the capitalist or the person who wants a comfortable freehold residence. There is a great demand for cottages in this town.

All particulars can be had on application to the auctioneer who will show properties to intending purchasers.

BOWRAL. BOWRAL.

About 40 CHOICE SITES for auction sale, WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER, at 11.30 o'clock. at the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, Sydney. HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers. Lithographs now ready.

TOWNSHIP OF BOWRAL.

Great Southern Railway Line.

THE BEST BUSINESS SITE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from F. Mason, Esq., of Braidwood, to sell positively by auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30 o'clock on
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9th.
All that parcel of land having 132 feet frontage to BONG BONG STREET by the great depth of 5 chains, adjoining Mr. DUPREY'S, baker, fenced in with batten painted fence, and containing in all about ONE ACRE, and without doubt
THE BEST BUSINESS SITE IN BOWRAL.

For a BANK, STORE, or HOTEL, this site is UNSURPASSED, being on the MAIN STREET, and close to the RAILWAY STATION.
TITLE—FREEHOLD.
Terms—Cash, or half the purchase-money can remain at 8 per cent.
C. S. JONES, Esq., Solicitor for the Vendor.

BOWRAL.

A COTTAGE RESIDENCE of 5 rooms, and One ACRE of LAND, situate at the corner of BONG BONG and BOOLWEY STREETS, BOWRAL.

TITLE—WINGECARRIBEE ESTATE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from Mr. Samuel Ward to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 9th October,
The above described cottage, with one acre of land. The land is described as Nos. 1 and 2 of section 4, corner of BONG BONG and BOOLWEY STREETS, BOWRAL.

This little property is situate within three minutes' walk of the BOWRAL STATION. It is tenanted, but immediate possession will be given to the purchaser, if required.
Mr. J. WARD, at Bowral, will show the property, and give any other information required.
Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 9th October.

UNRESERVED SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

GLEBE HEIGHTS, corner of CATHERINE and MOUNT VERNON STREETS.

4 VILLA RESIDENCES, known as ROSLYN, ROSENEATH, BLAIR, and ATHOL VILLAS.

Title: The residue of a 99 years' lease, with about 92 years to run.
Ground rent, £24 7s 6d per annum for the whole.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received positive instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER,
LOT 1.—ROSLYN VILLA, containing hall, dining-room, drawing-room, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry with copper fitted, balconies, &c., built of brick on stone, shingled roof, gas and water laid on, and would command a rental of £75 per annum.
LOT 2.—ROSENEATH VILLA, hall, dining and drawing rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, copper, gas and water laid on, and is at present occupied by Mrs. CARTER at £65 per annum.
LOT 3.—BLAIR VILLA, containing hall, dining, and drawing rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, laundry, copper, &c., &c., water laid on; let at £55 per annum to Mrs. VAN WESSEN.
LOT 4.—ATHOL VILLA contains hall, dining and drawing rooms, 3 bedrooms, bathrooms, kitchen, laundry, copper, &c., with balconies, gas and water laid on, and at present let at £52 per annum to Mr. MORRIS.

CARDS TO VIEW.

The land is described as lots 1, 2, and 3 of section 6 of the BISHOPTHORPE ESTATE.

*** These compact villas occupy very improving positions, right on the FOREST LODGE omnibus route, surrounded by good properties, and very near to the UNIVERSITY and COLLEGES, and are for positive sale either separately or as a whole. The houses are always let, and command fair rentals. Inspection invited.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER.

IN ONE LOT. IN ONE LOT.

IMPORTANT TO SPECULATORS.

THE CREAM OF BURWOOD.

WILLUMUMINA, the residence of J. R. BUBB, Esq., together with about 9½ ACRES OF LAND.

TITLE, TORRENS'. TERMS AT SALE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received absolute instructions from the proprietor, J. R. BUBB, Esq. (on account of his removal from Burwood), to submit to public competition, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
IN ONE LOT, all that immensely valuable and very large block of land, situate within a stone's throw from the BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION, adjoining EDROP'S PADDOCK, and containing an area of about 9½ ACRES of BEAUTIFUL SLOPING LAND, VERY WELL and EASILY CAPABLE OF SUBDIVISION, and commanding the following great frontages of
418 FEET TO BURWOOD ROAD
434 FEET 8 INCHES TO RIVER VIEW TERRACE
980 FEET TO BUBB-STREET,
upon a portion of which land is erected WILLUMUMINA, a commodious and faithfully erected family residence, built of brick on stone, with shingled roof, and containing verandah 8 feet wide, wide hall, drawing, dining, breakfast, and bed rooms on ground floor.
On the first-floor there are five bedrooms and closets.
The out-buildings consist of detached kitchen, laundry, coachhouse, stable, servants' room, and cowshed, &c., &c.
About an ACRE of the land has been carefully laid out and planted.

*** An opportunity to purchase so commanding a property in ONE LOT has not been given to the PUBLIC, in this FAVOURITE and POPULOUS SUBURB, for MANY YEARS.
This FREEHOLD is surrounded by, and near to, the properties of Messrs. THRELKELD, MARSDEN, WYNNE, EDROP'S PADDOCK, the CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, the PUBLIC SCHOOL, and the SCHOOL OF ARTS (now in course of erection).
Its position to the RAILWAY STATION, and its LARGE FRONTAGES to THREE MAIN and MADE STREETS, make it at once attractive to SPECULATORS; whilst the character of the improved surroundings makes it MOST VALUABLE to BONA-FIDE INVESTORS.
Contemplating the EXTENSION OF THE RAILWAY into the CITY, and to the CIRCULAR QUAY, this property has a large PROSPECTIVE VALUE, and which should be considered by intending purchasers.
SALE PLAN IS NOW ON VIEW.

CARDS TO VIEW may be had on application to the auctioneers.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER.

On MONDAY, 7th October, at 11 a.m., at WESTGATE COTTAGE, WAVERLEY ROAD.

UNRESERVED and ATTRACTIVE SALE of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.

MAGNIFICENT GRAND PIANOFORTE, by Leopold and Newfield
MASSIVE and FASHIONABLE Drawing-room Suite, in walnut wood, and covered with richly-figured damask
Handsome Davenport
Occasional and Side Tables
SUPERB ENGLISH OAK CHIFFONIER, with plate-glass back
Valuable Oil Paintings and Pictures
ELEGANT DINING-ROOM SUITE, covered in morocco
SPLENDID SPANISH MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD (8 feet), with plate-glass back, plate and cellarette drawers
Spanish Mahogany Telescope Dining Table (10 feet)
VALUABLE COLLECTION of ELECTROPLATED-WARE, and Suites of Glass
Cornice Poles and Curtains
Brussels Carpets, and Rugs
Pier Glass and Vases
TUBULAR IRON BEDSTEADS (single and double)
Mattresses, Palliasses, and Pillows
BEDDING, &c.
Chests of Drawers
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils,
ALSO, Collection of Plants
Stable and Garden Implements
Lady's Side-saddle
Gentlemen's and Boys' Saddles
SADDLE HORSE and MARE, with THOROUGHBRED FOAL
Three Cows, and one with Calf
Lot of Pigeons, &c., &c., &c.

TO GENTLEMEN FURNISHING, COMMISSION AGENTS, and OTHERS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have been favoured with instructions from Mrs. T. W. F. Wilshire (on account of her projected departure for Europe), to sell, by public auction, at Westgate Cottage, Waverley Road, at 11 o'clock,
THIS DAY, 7th OCTOBER,
The whole of the above-described valuable household furniture and effects.
CATALOGUES ARE IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

TERMS, CASH.

Westgate Cottage, to be LET. Apply at the Rooms, 175, Pitt-street.

EVELEIGH HOUSE ESTATE, CHIPPENDALE.

TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.

TERMS LIBERAL.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell positively at auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
MONDAY, October 14th,
Portion of the well-known EVELEIGH HOUSE ESTATE, as under—
Lot 12, having 30 feet 8 inches frontage to VINE-STREET
Lots 35 and 36, having together 60 frontage to EVELEIGH-STREET.

To INVESTORS and BUILDERS.—This is an opportunity that should not be lost to secure CITY SITES in a densely populated locality, close to the EVELEIGH and REDFERN railway stations, and where property is RAPIDLY ADVANCING in value.

A large portion of the purchase money can, if desired, remain on the property.

Plan can be seen at the ROOMS.
TORRENS' TITLE.
DAY OF SALE, MONDAY, OCTOBER 14th.

STERLING CITY INVESTMENT, just off GEORGE-STREET, Sydney.

That FIRST-CLASS CITY PROPERTY, CORNHILL-TERRACE, commanding imposing and extensive VIEWS of the CITY, the EXHIBITION BUILDING, and TOWN HALL, also of HOLTERMANN'S TOWER, NORTH SHORE, &c., &c.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL SALE ROOMS, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY, October 16th, at 11.30 o'clock.
That ELEGANT, CONVENIENTLY SITUATE, and FAITHFULLY-BUILT property, CORNHILL-TERRACE, situate in HARRIS-STREET, ULTIMO, just off GEORGE-STREET, and close to ULTIMO HOUSE, consisting of THREE HOUSES, each containing HALL, DRAWING and DINING rooms, with FOLDING DOORS, three bedrooms, BATHROOM, fitted, and WATER LAID ON, kitchen, laundry with copper fitted, water laid-on, and gas throughout.

This is a MOST FAITHFULLY-BUILT property, of BRICK, on STONE, with damp course throughout, SLATED roof, VERANDAH and BALCONY; front GARDEN, and area of land at back, sufficient for erection of STABLING.

The AUCTIONEERS cannot speak too highly of this property, the INTERNAL WORK being of a most TASTY and RECHERCHE CHARACTER; the CEDAR FITTINGS throughout are HAND MADE, and the MANTELPIECES and ENRICHED CORNICES, very choice.
CORNHILL-TERRACE has been constructed under the design of Ambrose Thornley, Esq., architect, and will readily command a rental of £225 yearly.
TITLE—The well-known ULTIMO ESTATE TITLE.

Terms at sale.

INSPECTION IS INVITED.
The land has a frontage of 50 FEET, by a depth of 120 FEET to a lane 20 FEET at the rear.

WOOLLAHRA.

TRADESMAN'S ARMS HOTEL, corner of JOHN and MONCUR STREETS. Also a SHOP adjoining, at present in the occupation of Mr. HALSTENBURG.

TITLE—TORRENS' ACT. Preliminary Notice.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER,
The above described property, having a frontage of 104 FEET to JOHN-STREET, 50 FEET to MONCUR-STREET, and 50 FEET to a RESERVED ROAD at the rear, and being LOTS 35 and 36, SECTION D of SCOTT and WALLACE'S SUBDIVISION upon which are erected THE TRADESMAN'S ARMS HOTEL and SHOP adjoining, built of brick on stone, shingled roofs, containing bar, two parlours, two bed-rooms, store, yard, kitchen, and servant's room. The SHOP is built of weatherboard, with YARD, STABLES, and two SHEDS at rear, and GAS LAID ON.
*** This property is situate in one of the BEST PARTS of WOOLLAHRA, and the trade done at the HOTEL is second to none in the Eastern Suburbs, being at the corner of two of the MAIN STREETS of this fast improving and favourite suburb of Woollahra.

DAY OF SALE, WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER.

CHIPPENDALE.

WATTLE-STREET.

5 FREEHOLD HOUSES, fronting WATTLE-STREET, opposite the property of THOMAS BROUGHTON, Esq. 2 built of weatherboard, containing 3 rooms, &c., &c., each; also 2 built of brick, containing 4 rooms, &c., &c., each, with cedar fittings; also 1 weatherboard Cottage, at the rear, let at 6s per week; and 1 stone Cottage, at rear, let at 8s per week. The ground has a frontage of 88 FEET by a depth of 75 FEET.

TITLE, FREEHOLD.

Also,
4 LEASEHOLD COTTAGES, situate in WATTLE-STREET, immediately opposite SMITHERS-STREET, and built of brick on stone, shingled roofs, water laid on, and let at a rental of 8s 6d per week each.

TITLE.—Residue of a lease, with about 11 years to run. GROUND RENT, £8 per annum for THE WHOLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m., on
WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
All that very valuable leasehold and freehold property as above described.

This property is situate in one of the leading thoroughfares from NEWTOWN ROAD to the RAILWAY, and very convenient to the OMNIBUS ROUTE to DARLINGTON.

Day of Sale, WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER.

MUST BE SOLD, to close accounts.

ENFIELD and BURWOOD.

ELIGIBLE BLOCKS FOR SUBDIVISION.

TORRENS' TITLE.

IMPORTANT TO SPECULATORS AND OTHERS desirous of securing GOOD BLOCKS OF LAND.

LOT 1.—5 ACRES REDMIRE ESTATE, being portion of Lot 20 of original plan, adjoining Mr. FELL'S residence, and fronting the Liverpool Road at ENFIELD, with the great depth of 800 feet.
*** This valuable block should command ready sale.
PLAN ON VIEW.

LOT 2.—2½ ACRES, corner of STATION-STREET and DRIVER'S ROAD, at BURWOOD, having 540 feet frontage to the former and 194 feet 8 inches to the latter.
*** This block will be sold in ONE or MORE LOTS, to suit the wishes of intending purchasers.
PLAN ON VIEW.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 175, PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
The above-described VALUABLE BLOCKS of LAND.

*** These blocks are well capable of subdivision, and are most accessible to BURWOOD and REDMIRE STATIONS.

DARLINGTON.
WATTLE and BOWMAN STREETS.

5 COTTAGES and 1 SHOP, built of brick. The cottages contain 2 rooms and kitchen each, and let at £26 per annum each. The shop contains 2 rooms and kitchen, and let at £30 4s per annum; water laid on to the whole, and connected with sewer.

Also, a BLOCK of LAND, having 90 FEET 6 INCHES frontage by a depth of 78 FEET.
Title, residue of a lease, with 18½ years to run. Ground rent, £13 per year.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER,
The above described property.

FURTHER PARTICULARS IN A DAY OR TWO.

Day of sale, WEDNESDAY, 16th OCTOBER.

WOOLLAHRA.
SCOTT and WALLIS' SUBDIVISION.

TORRENS' TITLE.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their CENTRAL AUCTION ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
MONDAY, 14th OCTOBER,
All that VALUABLE block of land having 100 FEET frontage to PIPER ROAD close to MONCUR-STREET, and being lots 37, 38, 39, 40, and 41, section B of SCOTT and WALLIS' well-known subdivision.

The above is one of the very few blocks of land now remaining vacant in this POPULOUS and IMPROVING LOCALITY. It is convenient to the omnibuses, and is well worth the attention of BUILDERS, INVESTORS, or SPECULATORS, as it will be SOLD in ONE OR 5 LOTS.

Day of Sale, MONDAY, 14th OCTOBER. PLAN ON VIEW.

PARISH OF GORDON.

60-ACRE BLOCK, FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.

TITLE—Unquestionable. TERMS at sale.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 9th OCTOBER,
That block of land, situate in the PARISH of GORDON, adjoining John M'Mahon's 40-acre grant, Arch. M'Coll's 80 acres, and close to Hynde's 2000 acres.

PLAN ON VIEW AT THE ROOMS.

WAVERLEY.
WITHIN TEN MINUTES' WALK of CHARING CROSS, and BETWEEN MUNDARRAH TOWERS (the BEAUTIFUL ESTATE of Mrs. BENNETT) and the MANSION and GROUNDS of R. G. MASSIE, Esq.

MILLS and PILE have been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, ON THE GROUND,
On SATURDAY, 12th OCTOBER, at 3 o'clock,
That splendid block consisting of nearly six acres, situate as above described, and originally granted to V. Zahel, Esq.
IT IS, ALTHOUGH WELL ELEVATED, SHELTERED FROM ALL BAD WINDS, IT COMMANDS UNINTERRUPTED OCEAN VIEWS, IS ADVANTAGEOUSLY SITUATED FOR FACILITIES FOR SEA BATHING, AND, TAKEN ALL IN ALL, IS ONE OF THE MOST ELIGIBLE PROPERTIES EVER OFFERED FOR SALE IN THIS CHOICE LOCALITY.
It has been subdivided into 31 large-sized villa sites, lithographs of which are now ready.
The Government having decided to construct Suburban Railways, this property will have advantages unattainable in any other district, namely—
RAILWAY COMMUNICATION
OCEAN VIEWS, and
SEA BATHING.
MILLS and PILE, Auctioneers, 134, Pitt-street.

PARRAMATTA.

EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION, OF TOWN PROPERTIES, in PHILLIP-STREET, SMITH-STREET, HUNTER-STREET, MARSDEN-STREET, and PENNANT-STREET. Nearly all original grants.

Preliminary notice.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed, by the administratrix of the estate of the late John Gilbert, to sell by auction, at their rooms, George-street, Parramatta, on WEDNESDAY, October 23rd, at 11 o'clock,
The following properties in the estate:—
PHILLIP-STREET—4 Cottages, built of brick, between Smith and Charles streets
SMITH-STREET—2 Cottages of weatherboard, near Macquarie-street
MARSDEN-STREET—A large vacant Allotment; also a good brick Cottage and 4 good building Allotments at the corner of Hunter-street
PENNANT-STREET—A good brick Cottage and 4 good building Allotments at the corner of Macarthur-street.
The properties are now being surveyed, and lithographs will be issued shortly.
Titles first-class. Terms at sale.

CITY PROPERTY.

TWO HOUSES ON THE NORTH SIDE OF GOULBURN-STREET, between ELIZABETH STREET and NITHSDALE-STREET.

PRESENT RENTAL, £75 PER ANNUM.

45 FEET 9 INCHES STREET FRONTAGE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 22, at 11 o'clock,
A valuable property on the north side of Goulburn-street, a few doors east of Elizabeth-street.

The land has a frontage of 45 feet 9 inches by a depth of about 60 feet to a wide lane at the rear.
The houses are built of brick, and contain each 4 rooms. There are also kitchens attached.
There is vacant land on the street frontage, to allow of another house being built.
Plans ready shortly.
Title good. Terms at sale.

CITY PROPERTIES.

ELIZABETH-STREET, CASTLEREAGH-STREET, GOULBURN-STREET.

FINE POSITIONS.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 22nd, at 11.30 prompt,
The following city properties:—
ELIZABETH-PLACE, a block of land, Elizabeth-street, and 5 houses; also, a cottage and land adjoining the above, extending through to Castlereagh-street, at No. 430.
GOULBURN-STREET, No. 81, a very large block of land, with cottage, and numerous outbuildings.
Also, GOULBURN-STREET on the north side, a large allotment of land between Elizabeth-street and Nithsdale-street, on which are 2 houses and other buildings.

THESE PROPERTIES ARE FOR POSITIVE SALE.

Plans are now being prepared.
Title good. Terms at sale.

CITY PROPERTY.

FINE BLOCK OF LAND FRONTING ELIZABETH-STREET, AND EXTENDING THROUGH TO CASTLEREAGH-STREET, WITH SIX HOUSES ERECTED, YIELDING £169 PER ANNUM.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Trustees of the late Peter William Plomer to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 22, at 11.30 prompt,
A valuable piece of land known as Elizabeth-place, a few feet south of Goulburn-street, having 33 feet 9 inches frontage to Elizabeth-street, by a depth of 94 feet, on which is erected a brick house, No. 373, and 4 brick houses at the rear; and joining it is another piece of land extending through to Castlereagh-street, having 34 feet 7 inches frontage, by a depth of 80 feet. On this lot stands a weatherboard cottage, No. 430, and at the rear a small brick cottage.
This property would be a fine position for a factory of any kind, with the advantage of having frontages to two leading streets.
Plans are being prepared.
Title, good. Terms at sale.

MONTROSE, A FAMILY RESIDENCE, GLEBE ROAD, near PARRAMATTA-STREET.

60 Feet Frontage and 130 Feet Depth, with 16 Feet Lane at the rear.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Executors of the late Mrs. E. Shelley to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on an early date,
Montrose, a fine family residence, situated on the Glebe Road, at present occupied by Dr. West.
The house is most substantially built and in good order, and sound repair. It contains a wide hall through, and on the ground floor, 6 rooms, three of them very large and lofty; on the upper floor are 5 bedrooms and roomy landing.
The principal part of the inside work is cedar, finished; at the rear are kitchen, laundry, servant's room, and large cellar, stabling for two horses, and coachhouse. The house is situated off the road, and has a wide verandah in front and large garden.
There is also a wide gateway for a side entrance.
The present rent received from the property is £110, and taxes.
Title, leasehold, having seventy years to run at £26 per annum.
Terms at sale.

NEWTOWN.

TWO HOUSES, LONGDOWN-STREET, erected of Brick and Stone, slated roof, at the rear of Mr. Spalding's property, on the NEWTOWN-ROAD.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Trustees of the will of the late T. W. Bowden, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 22, at 11.30 prompt,
2 well-built houses, in Longdown-street, having a joint frontage of 40 feet, by a depth of 62 feet.
They contain each 5 rooms, passage, and landing. They are always let, and would readily realise £30 per annum each.

Title, good. Terms at sale.

PARRAMATTA.

VERY CHOICE COUNTRY PROPERTY.
GOOD HOMESTEAD
ORCHARD, WOODLAND and GRAZING-GROUND, 15 MINUTES' DRIVE FROM THE RAILWAY STATION, BROADVIEW.
A FINE ESTATE OF 68 ACRES.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by E. Mason, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Land Sale Rooms, 154, Pitt-street, Sydney, on TUESDAY, October 22, at 11.30 prompt,
The above valuable estate, situated on the Pennant Hills Road, just beyond the boundary of Parramatta, consisting of 68 acres, with large main road frontage.
The estate is divided into—orchard, 30 acres; grazing and cultivation, 10 acres; and one of the finest pieces of woodland in the whole district, of 23 acres—quite a park.
The house is of brick, and contains, with the attachments, parlour, drawing-room, dining-room, three bedrooms, nursery, two pantries, kitchen, laundry, coachhouse, stables, man's room, and store-house. Water pure and never-failing.
Further particulars in future advertisement.
Terms at sale.

CITY PROPERTY.
No. 81, GOULBURN-STREET, between PITT AND CASTLEREAGH STREETS, 35 feet frontage by 85 feet, BRICK COTTAGE and EXTENSIVE STABLING, Yielding £57 per annum.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed by the Trustees of the late Peter William Plomer, to sell by auction on TUESDAY, 22nd October, at 11.30 prompt,
That valuable Allotment of Land, No. 81, Goulburn-street, between Pitt-street and Castlereagh-street, on which is a Cottage erected of brick, containing 4 rooms, with extensive back premises and stabling.
There is a wide side entrance, and the present building stands some distance back from the building line, and would allow of two shops being erected in front.
Plans are being prepared for circulation.

Title, good. Terms, at sale

TWO ALLOTMENTS, NEWTOWN, FRONTING RICHARD-STREET, 135 and 136, of the BLIGH-TERRACE SUBDIVISION.

MILLS and PILE have been instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, 22nd October, at 11.30 prompt,
Two allotments, having 40 feet frontage to Richard-street, by 60 feet in depth. Good positions for cottages.

Title good. Terms at sale.

WANSTEAD ESTATE,

COOK'S RIVER,

the property and residence of the late

E. CAMPBELL, Esq., J.P.,

consisting of about 110 Acres,

opposite the WARREN,

the renowned mansion and grounds of the

Hon. THOMAS HOLT,

IS POSTPONED TO THURSDAY,

24th OCTOBER, 1878.

W. PRITCHARD, AUCTIONEER, 281, George-street.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE.

THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

BILLIARD TABLE.

STOCK-IN-TRADE, BAR FITTINGS, of the UNION HOTEL, situate at the corner of CROWN and OXFORD STREETS.

The WELL-KNOWN HOTEL of the LATE BERNARD M'LAUGHLIN, on (TO-MORROW) TUESDAY, the 8th October, at 11 o'clock sharp.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by public auction, on the premises, at the above time and place,
The whole of the household furniture, stock-in-trade, bar fittings, billiard table, of the UNION HOTEL, in consequence of the premises having been leased by THE CITY BANK.
NO RESERVE WHATEVER.
TERMS, CASH.

WELDEN COTTAGE,

DELIGHTFUL RESIDENCE and GARDEN,

DENISON-STREET, WOOLLAHRA,

A most healthy position.

In consequence of the proprietor leaving for Europe.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, next THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
All the vendor's right, title, and interest in the residue of a 99 years' lease (say 86 years) or a block of land situate in Denison-street, Woollahra, having a frontage of 80 feet to Denison-street by a depth of 172 feet (all more or less) to a back entrance, upon which is erected a MOST COMFORTABLE COTTAGE, built of STONE, and shingled roof, containing ENTRANCE-HALL, 4 ROOMS, detached KITCHEN and SERVANT'S ROOM with covered way.

THIS CHARMING COTTAGE has verandah back and front, with the north and south sides cemented, and the back and front pointed with cement, thus rendering the premises perfectly water-proof.

THE GARDEN is particularly luxuriant, and planted with all kinds of plants and flowering shrubs, ornamental and fruit trees, in great and choice variety.

Also,
Included and adjoining the above, the right, title, and interest in the lease of a ½-acre block of land, fronting Denison-street, let for the remainder of the 99 years' lease on a building lease, at the annual rental of £7 10s.

There is a good supply of water on the property, and the whole is well drained.

This is a most desirable property, and is only parted with in consequence of the owner leaving for Europe.

A chance like this seldom occurs.
Terms at sale.

FREEHOLD CITY PROPERTY.

Title Under Torrens' Act.

SIR JOHN YOUNG CRESCENT,

Overlooking the GOVERNMENT DOMAIN,

WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, NEXT THURSDAY, the 10th day of OCTOBER, at 11 O'CLOCK,

All that block of land, having frontages to Sir John Young Crescent, and to Palmer-street, close to Domain Gates, WOOLLOOMOOLOO, and fronting the GOVERNMENT DOMAIN, upon which are erected two well-built houses, SUBSTANTIALLY ERECTED of STONE, EACH CONTAINING EIGHT ROOMS, and known as Nos. 4 and 5, Sir John Young Crescent, and are let at the present time at the extremely low rental of £65 each per annum.
The situation of this property is delightful, and must eventually become exceedingly valuable, and is consequently well worthy the attention of investors and others.
Title under Torrens' Act.

Terms at Sale.

NEUTRAL BAY, NORTH SHORE.

CHARMING VILLA SITES.

FELTON-STREET and BRAY-STREET.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, on THURSDAY next, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
Four eligible building sites, overlooking Neutral Bay, and about eleven minutes' walk from the steam ferry.
LOT 25 —48 feet 9 inches to Felton-street, by 160
" 26 —48 feet 9 inches to ditto, by 160
" 25A.—54 feet to Bray-street, by 126
" 26A.—54 feet to ditto, by 120.
Freehold ditto.
Terms at sale.

ELIGIBLE TRIANGULAR-SHAPED BLOCK of LAND, LOWER GEORGE-STREET, opposite the A. S. N. CO.'S NEW WHARF, known as Campbell's Wharf.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, GEORGE-STREET, on THURSDAY next, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
All that TRIANGULAR BLOCK of LAND, adjoining the property of T. W. Eady, Esq., J.P., situate at the corner of LOWER GEORGE-STREET and NEW GEORGE-STREET, immediately opposite that well-known property, CAMPBELL'S WHARF, recently purchased by the AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, who have now transferred their IMMENSE SHIPPING and PASSENGER TRADE to this COMMODIOUS and VALUABLE ENTREPOT.

This choice Block of Land has a frontage of 77 feet 5 inches to LOWER GEORGE-STREET, and 35 feet to NEW GEORGE-STREET, and is most admirably adapted for the erection of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, commanding all the PASSENGER TRAFFIC of this Universal Australian Company.

SMALL CITY FREEHOLD.

To CARMEN, VANMEN, and OTHERS.

FRANCIS-STREET, WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by AUCTION, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, next THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10th, at 11 o'clock,
A substantially brick-built Cottage, containing FOUR GOOD ROOMS and large stabling accommodation, having a frontage of 30 feet to Francis-street, Woolloomooloo, with back entrance.
The Cottage is known as No. 54, FRANCIS-STREET, adjoining the RICHMOND HOTEL, at the intersection of RILEY and FRANCIS STREETS, and will always command a first-class tenant.

Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

ST. LEONARDS, NORTH SHORE.

IMMEDIATELY OPPOSITE THE RESERVE AND CRICKET GROUND.

FREEHOLD BLOCK OF LAND,

(commanding Magnificent View

from the HEIGHTS of St. LEONARDS

of the HARBOUR and CITY, and between the properties of W. H. PLATT, Esq., and WM. TUNKS, Esq., and adjoining property of the Bank of New South Wales.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, in ONE BLOCK, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, next THURSDAY, October 10th, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT PARCEL of LAND, being lot 16 of section 11—1 chain by 5 chains, fronting [illegible], between WALKER-STREET and [illegible] being north.
Title freehold. Terms at sale.

BALGOWLAH.

NEAR MANLY BEACH.

2 acres 3 roods 39 perches.

Only a short distance from STEAMERS' WHARF.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction an eligible block of land, in the VILLAGE of BALGOWLAH, ADJOINING MANLY BEACH, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, next THURSDAY, October 10th, at 11 o'clock,
A most eligible block of land, containing 2 acres 3 roods 39 perches, admirably adapted for a Suburban Homestead or for a Speculator's Subdivision.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

COOGEE.

FOUR BLOCKS OF LAND.

SUITABLE FOR SUBDIVISIONS.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 10th October, at 11 o'clock,
Suburban Allotment, No. 7 of section 10, containing 1 acre 1 rood, with frontages to DUDLEY and BROOK STREETS.

Allotment No. 8 of section 10, containing 1 acre 1 rood, with frontage to BROOK-STREET.
Suburban ALLOTMENT, No. 1 of section 19, containing 1 acre 35 perches, with frontages to PEROUSE-STREET and BROOK-STREET.
Suburban Allotment, No. 2 of section 19, containing 1 acre 33 perches, with frontage to Perouse-street.
Title—Crown grant. Terms at sale.

CONVENIENT FAMILY DWELLING, GLEBE ROAD.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from J. G. RAPHAEL, Esq., J.P., to sell by AUCTION, at HIS ROOMS, 281, GEORGE-STREET, next THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, at 11 o'clock,
That faithfully constructed FAMILY DWELLING, situated on the GLEBE ROAD, near the WESLEYAN CHURCH, built of BRICK on STONE foundation, containing ENTRANCE HALL, PARLOUR, DINING-ROOM, DRAWING-ROOM, FIVE SPACIOUS BED-ROOMS, pantry, kitchen, out-offices, bath, and copper, WATER and GAS LAID ON,
Verandahs and Balcony back and front, built on an allotment having 20 feet frontage to the Glebe Road, by a depth of 120 feet, having access to the rear through a wide lane.
Title Leasehold, having 80 years to run, at a ground rent of £9 15s per annum.
The PREMISES are at present let to H. HART, ESQ., at a rental of £65 per annum.
Terms at sale.

FARM, 13 Acres, FREEHOLD.

ORANGERY and VINEYARD, STRAWBERRY BEDS, and GARDEN.

EIGHT-ROOMED COTTAGE, with OUTHOUSES and EVERY CONVENIENCE.

W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
That well-known property at KISSING POINT, situated on the main GOVERNMENT ROAD, about ONE MILE (by first-class METAL ROAD) from the STEAMERS' WHARF, comprising about THIRTEEN ACRES, securely fenced in, upon which is erected a comfortable and convenient Weatherboard Cottage, in good order and condition, consisting of eight rooms, with stone-built kitchen, fitted with oven, boilers, &c.; also, barn, stabling, and other outbuildings.
THE ORANGERY comprises about 400 CHOICE TREES, in full bearing.
There is ONE ACRE planted with STRAWBERRIES, half an acre with GRAPE VINES.
This property offers special advantages to buyers on the look-out for a DELIGHTFUL and HEALTHY RESIDENCE, as well as a PROFITABLE INVESTMENT for an industrious family; and, upon the completion of the bridges over Parramatta River, which are in course of construction, the value of this freehold will be considerably enhanced, as it will bring the property within forty minutes' drive of the city.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.
Plan may be seen at the Rooms.

MAGNIFICENT

CITY BLOCK OF LAND,

FOR POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

THE ONLY SITE

OF ANY EXTENT AVAILABLE FOR

COMMERCIAL PREMISES

or

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS in this Locality.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street, next THURSDAY, October 10, at 11 o'clock,
Three allotments of LAND on the east side of Kent-street, between MARKET and DRUITT STREETS, being Nos. 386, 388, and 390, bounded by the properties of W. S. FRIEND, Esq.

This splendid piece of land commands a frontage of 97 feet to Kent-street by 110 feet 6 inches at the back.

N. B.—The above freehold will be sold with the buildings erected thereon.
Title, freehold. Terms at sale.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

CAPITAL CITY INVESTMENT.

HARRIS-STREET, ULTIMO.
ULTIMO-TERRACE, five two-story RESIDENCES, on the east side of HARRIS-STREET, opposite ULTIMO HOUSE and GROUNDS, near Parramatta-street.

TITLE, LEASEHOLD, 50 years, at a ground rent of £45 PER ANNUM.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT valuable block of land, portion of the well-known Ultimo Estate, having 100 FEET frontage to HARRIS-STREET, with a depth of 100 FEET, extending to a lane at the rear, together with ULTIMO-TERRACE, five two-story family residences thereon, most faithfully built of brick on stone foundations, richly ornamented stuccoed fronts, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each wide entrance hall, 6 large rooms fitted with china closets, cupboards, linen presses, besides kitchen and other conveniences, with large yards, water laid on, &c., at the rear.
In front of the terrace are small garden plots, enclosed with dwarf wall and iron palisading.

The above is well worthy the attention of those in search of an eligibly situated and good letting property, so handy to the business parts of the city.
The position is the best in Harris-street, having the great advantage of being opposite the open park-like grounds of Ultimo House, thereby securing a beautiful uninterrupted view (of the pretty suburb westward) of a considerable distance.
Terms at sale.

NORTH KINGSTON, NEWTOWN.

THREE two-story DWELLING HOUSES, DENISON-STREET, north of ALBEMARLE-STREET, and adjoining PROPERTY belonging to A. HINCHCLIFF, Esq.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. G. W. LANDERS to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT block of land on North Kingston, Newtown, having 33 FEET frontage to DENISON-STREET, with a depth of 83½ FEET, extending to a lane (16½ feet wide), upon which are THREE BRICK built two-story HOUSES on stone foundations, with balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms and kitchen, with good yards, CITY WATER LAID ON, &c., at the rear.
RENTAL, £1 19s PER WEEK, or £101 8s per annum.
A favourably situated freehold investment in the most popular part of Newtown, under three minutes walk from the RAILWAY STATION. The houses are never unoccupied.
Terms at sale.

STERLING CITY INVESTMENT.

OXFORD-STREET.

THOSE BUSINESS PREMISES No. 35, Oxford-street, known as CHEAPSIDE, between RILEY and CROWN STREETS; and COTTAGE, RILEY-LANE, at the rear.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
All that piece of land, portion of block P, No. 2, Riley Estate, having 15 FEET frontage to OXFORD-STREET, with a depth of 62 FEET, upon which are those business premises, No. 35, Oxford-street, known as CHEAPSIDE, built of brick on stone foundation, and containing large shop and three rooms over, with yard, &c., at the rear; also, abutting on the above, a COTTAGE, No. 2, Riley-lane, built of brick and containing three rooms and kitchen.
A splendid investment in the valuable and leading business thoroughfare, OXFORD-STREET, on the POPULAR SIDE, and equal to any other position in the locality.
It is but seldom now that an opportunity occurs for securing a frontage in this highly important business part of our city, which is second only to George, Pitt, and York street properties.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

LIVERPOOL-STREET EAST.

TWO BRICK-BUILT DWELLING-HOUSES, GLEN VIEW-STREET, adjoining HOLDSWORTH'S-TERRACE, and near the RESIDENCE of CAPTAIN SCOTT.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT piece of land, part of the MACDONALD ESTATE, having 38 FEET frontage to GLEN VIEW-STREET (off Liverpool-street East), with a depth of 120 FEET, extending to a wide lane at the rear, on which are TWO BRICK-BUILT TWO-STORY RESIDENCES, on stone foundations, cemented, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each hall, five rooms, kitchen and bathroom, good yards, with back entrances, &c.
RENTAL, £2 10s per week, or £130 per annum.
The city water and gas are laid on to the property, and all the latter fittings will be included in the sale.

This is a favourably-situated freehold investment, in an elevated and beautifully retired part of this popular locality, where houses are never unoccupied.
The view from the residences is very charming and picturesque, embracing the highly improved properties around and a good [illegible].

Terms at sale.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.

HARRIS ESTATE, PYRMONT.
A NEWLY-ERECTED DWELLING-HOUSE, HARRIS-STREET, a few yards north of PYRMONT BRIDGE ROAD, now let to Mr. Croft.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th October, at 11 o'clock,
All that ALLOTMENT of LAND, portion of the HARRIS ESTATE, PYRMONT, having the following frontages:—
17 FEET to HARRIS-STREET
17 FEET to MOUNT-STREET,
with a depth of 80 feet, upon which is a newly-erected and very faithfully finished brick two-story RESIDENCE, with verandah and balcony in front, and containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, pantry, with good yard, gas and water laid on, &c.
RENTAL, £65 per annum.

The above is very favourably situated in the main street of Pyrmont, a portion of the city which has been much improved of late, and a locality where dwellings of moderate rentals are in great demand.
It is within easy walking distance, by way of the bridge, of the business centre of the city.
Title: Ultimo leasehold, 50 years from 1st January, 1877; ground rent, £7 per annum.
Terms at sale.

By order of the Executrix and Executors of Mr. John Mulholland, late of 347, Crown-street, Merchant, deceased.

SYDENHAM ESTATE, PETERSHAM.

VALUABLE AND EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, in area 7 ACRES, 1 ROOD 16 PERCHES, comprising lots 5, 6, and 7, of section 4 of SYDENHAM FARMS' PLANS, No. 4, between the NEW and OLD CANTERBURY ROADS, and having extensive frontages to DENISON ROAD and CONSTITUTION ROAD, adjoining the DULWICH HILL ESTATE.

This is a favourably situated block of land, very level, and in every respect admirably adapted for subdivision.
The surrounding lands have been sold in allotments, and are now being rapidly built upon, thereby centreing a large population in this healthful locality.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.
The above described valuable block of land, at Petersham, which must be sold in ONE LOT, to close the estate.
It is only ten minutes' walk from the site for the SUMMER HILL RAILWAY PLATFORM, on the UNDERWOOD ESTATE.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.
T. SALTER, Esq., Pitt-street, Solicitor of the estate.

CAPITAL CITY INVESTMENT.

FOUR HOUSES, WATERLOO and HART STREETS, between COOPER and DEVONSHIRE STREETS, opposite Adelaide-street, and west of Riley-street, Surry Hills.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. BEGLEY to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
All that freehold parcel of land having frontages to WATERLOO-STREET, and HART-STREET, with the good depth of 136 feet, on which are erected the following premises:—
WATERLOO-STREET. TWO Dwelling HOUSES, Nos. 9 and 10, of brick, cemented, on stone foundations, slate roofs, with verandahs and balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse with copper, bath, well drained yards, with entrance from rear.
HART-STREET. TWO Brick HOUSES, cemented, slate roofs, with verandahs in front, and containing each 4 rooms and kitchen, yards with side entrance.
Rental, £161 4s PER ANNUM.

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Terms at sale.

LEINSTER-TERRACE.

FIVE BEAUTIFULLY-FINISHED and FAITHFULLY-BUILT THREE-STORY FAMILY RESIDENCES, BOTANY-STREET, a few yards from the main entrance to MOORE PARK,

IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th October, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT VALUABLE BLOCK OF LAND, having 90 FEET frontage to the east side of BOTANY-STREET, with a depth of 132 FEET on one side, extending to a wide lane, and 102 FEET on the other, upon which is erected LEINSTER-TERRACE, five NEWLY erected FAMILY RESIDENCES, of brick (cemented) on stone foundations, with verandahs and balconies in front, also parapet walls and iron railings on street frontage, enclosing small garden plots.
They contain each entrance-hall, 7 rooms, bathroom fitted with bath, kitchen with cooking range, pantry, and washhouse with copper, &c.

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LEINSTER-TERRACE is a favourably SITUATED PROPERTY, near MOORE PARK, a locality where first-class FAMILY RESIDENCES command attention, and are eagerly sought after.
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The Moore Park and Randwick omnibuses pass the property.
The gas is laid on throughout the whole terrace, and the chandeliers and all other gasfittings will be sold with the property.
CARDS to view may be obtained at the Rooms.

Terms at sale.

ROOKWOOD RAILWAY STATION, Township of St. Joseph.

Beautifully-situated BLOCK of IMPROVED LAND, portion of lot 17 of the township, in area 3¼ ACRES, having 315 FEET FRONTAGE to MARY-STREET, with a DEPTH of 450 FEET.
The whole of the land is cleared, and enclosed with a 3-rail fence; upwards of one acre is under cultivation. The other improvements comprise a HUT of 4 rooms, water-tank, &c. &c.

*** A splendid block, in an elevated part of Rookwood, on the north side of the line, adjoining Cohen's 100 ACRES, recently purchased by the GOVERNMENT, within three minutes' walk of the RAILWAY STATION.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. ABBOTT to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
Upwards of 3 acres of land, at Rookwood, admirably adapted for subdividing.

Plan on view at the Rooms.

DESIRABLE CITY RESIDENCE, CROWN-STREET, SURRY HILLS.

TWO-STORY RESIDENCE, No. 366, CROWN-STREET, on the east side, a few doors north of ALBION-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 11th October, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT valuable piece of land at Surry Hills, having 24 FEET frontage to CROWN-STREET, with a depth of 108 FEET, and a width at the rear of 34 feet, upon which is No. 366, CROWN-STREET, a MOST FAITHFULLY-BUILT and WELL-FINISHED COMMODIOUS DWELLING-HOUSE, of brick on stone foundation, slated roof, with verandahs and balconies front and back, and containing wide entrance hall and six rooms, large yard and garden, with side entrance from the street. Also small garden plot in front.
It is but seldom now that a residence like this can be purchased in the best and most elevated position in Surry Hills.
The view from the property is most extensive, embracing as it does the greater portion of the city, the harbour, North Shore, and surrounding pretty scenery.
Inspection is particularly invited, and cards to view may be obtained at the Rooms.
Title, Torrens' Act. Terms at sale.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY.

EIGHT Brick HOUSES, corner of EXETER and WEXFORD STREETS, near BELMORE MARKETS.

IN ONE OR MORE LOTS to suit purchasers.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH have been instructed to sell by public auction, without the slightest reserve, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 11th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
the property described hereunder:—
Consisting of a block of FOUR two-storied HOUSES, built of brick on stone foundations, situate at the CORNER of WEXFORD and EXETER STREETS; also FOUR two-storied brick HOUSES opposite, situate at the northern CORNER of the SAME STREETS.

This is a compact and snug property, centrally situated, never unoccupied, and the present rents, although small to what they might be, are yielding a certain income, sufficient for any person to live comfortably upon.
Capitalists will find this a desirable property to secure a first-class return for their money, the position being one that must improve in value daily. For business places they would admirably be suitable, being at the corners of two thickly-populated streets, and in the heart of an extensive and rapidly advancing part of the city.
Water is laid on to the premises, and they have the advantage of having the closets laid on to the main sewer, so essential to health.
The houses are close to Hyde Park and Belmore Park, which is a great recommendation.
Terms at sale.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney, 1st [illegible].
KEMP AND ANOTHER v. DONALD.

ON MONDAY, the 7th day of October instant, at noon, unless the writ of FIERI FACIAS herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, on the premises occupied by the defendant, Crystal-street, [illegible], near Sydney,
A quantity of drapery, crockery, toys, household furniture, &c.
Terms, cash.
CHARLES COWPER, [illegible]

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Funerals.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. RICHARD M'GUFFIN, senior, are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from 28, Wexford-street, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. WALTER STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. R. M'GUFFIN, Junior, are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased FATHER, R. M'Guffin; to move from Mr. W. Brewer's residence, 28, Wexford-street, to the Necropolis.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM BREWER are affectionately invited to attend the Funeral of his late FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. Richard M'Guffin; to move from 28, Wexford-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, to the Necropolis. W. STEWART, Undertaker.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. JOHN EDMISTON are requested to attend the Funeral of his late FATHER-IN-LAW, Mr. Richard M'Guffin; to move from 28, Wexford-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. WALTER STEWART, Undertaker, Bathurst-street.

THE MEMBERS of the Loyal Orange Institution of New South Wales are requested to attend the Funeral of our departed Brother and founder, Mr. RICHARD M'GUFFIN, sen.; to move from his late residence, No. 28, Wexford-street, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m. W. KIPPAX, R.W.G.M.; W. HENSON, G. Sec.

THE MEMBERS of No. 1 Loyal Orange Lodge, are affectionately invited to attend the Funeral of our dear departed Brother and founder, RICHARD M'GUFFIN, sen.; to move from the residence of Mr. Brewer, his son-in-law, 28, Wexford-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. By order of the W.M. A. J. PRING, Sec.

THE MEMBERS of No. 10, L. O. L., are requested to attend the Funeral of our departed Brother, M'GUFFIN, to move from his late residence, Wexford-street, at 2 p.m. C. HUNT, Secretary.

NO. 66, L. O. L.—The MEMBERS of the above Lodge are requested to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, M'GUFFIN, procession to move from his late residence, THIS DAY, at 2 p.m. J. R. M'FADYEN, W.M.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. GEORGE BRADSHAW, Cabinetmaker, are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Wilmot-street, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for the Necropolis. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 719, George-street South; 120, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILLIAM SHARPE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Jane; to move from his residence, Queen-street, Ashfield, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter to 3 o'clock, for the Necropolis. C. BOOTS, Undertaker, Hordern-street, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of BERNARD O'KANE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his deceased SON, John; to move from his father's residence, No. 8, Eveleigh-street, on TUESDAY MORNING, at a quarter-past 8 o'clock, to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 737, George-street, and 118, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of HENRY, DANIEL, and BERNARD O'KANE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their deceased BROTHER, John; to move from his father's residence, No. 8, Eveleigh-street, on TUESDAY MORNING, at a quarter-past 8 o'clock, to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 737, George-street, and 118, Oxford-street.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. ALEXANDER SMITH are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, 333, Macquarie-street South, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter-past 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, Oxford-street, near Crown-street, and George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of the deceased WILLIAM RICKARDS are invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Old Parramatta Road, Forest Lodge, THIS AFTERNOON, 7th instant, at 2 o'clock, to Necropolis. THOMAS, Undertaker, 141, York-street.

Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.
In the Will of WILLIAM M'LEAN, late of Mornington, near Campbellfield, in the colony of Victoria, Esquire, deceased.
PURSUANT to the "Trust Property Act of 1862," Creditors and others are required to send in their claims against the abovenamed estate to the undersigned, for the Executors of the said Will, on or before the fifth day of November next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.
Dated this fifth day of October, 1878.
ANDREW HARDIE M'CULLOCH, Junior, Proctor for the Executors, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

WHEREAS a Requisition, purporting to be signed by not less than one-third of the proprietors of lands through which the parish road known as the Canterbury Road passes, and not less than one-third of the proprietors of land within three miles of, and usually approached by, the said road, has been presented to us, the undersigned Justices, assembled in Petty Sessions at Sydney, in the district through which the said road passes, and requests us to call a meeting of such proprietors as aforesaid, for the purpose of deciding whether the said proprietors deem it expedient or not that Trustees should be appointed for such road: Now, therefore, we do hereby convene a Public MEETING of all the proprietors of the said lands, for the purpose aforesaid, and we name the Central Police Office, Sydney, as the place where the said meeting shall be held, and MONDAY, the fourth day of November, 1878, at eleven o'clock a.m., as the time at which the said meeting shall be held; and we appoint DANIEL HOLBOROW, Esquire, J.P., to preside at, and Mr. THOMAS PERRATT and Mr. WILLIAM GELDING to act as Assessors at, the said meeting. And we order that notice of the said meeting be advertised twice in the S. M. HERALD and EVENING NEWS newspapers.
Given under our hands, at the Central Police Office, Sydney, this third October, 1878.
WILLIAM CRANE, P.M.
HENRY CONNELL, J.P.

AUCTIONEERS' NOTICE.
PARKER and CO. beg to intimate to the public of Sydney and New South Wales that they have opened an Auction Mart, 716, George-street, Sydney, at the rear of Square and Compass Hotel, where they purpose conducting sales of Horses, Cattle, Sheep, Pigs, Poultry, and all kinds of Farm and Dairy Produce. They will also attend sales of Cattle, Sheep, and Horses at Homebush and Camperdown.
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THE LATE REV. W. B. CLARKE, F.R.S.
It is proposed by the Royal Society of New South Wales to raise a fund to commemorate the name of the Rev. W. B. CLARKE, and his services to this colony. The Memorial is intended to take the form of an annual course of Lectures on Geology, free to the public, to be delivered under the auspices of the Royal Society, and also of a Gold Medal to be given from time to time as a reward of meritorious contributions to geological science. Subscriptions are now solicited, payable to any of the officers of the Royal Society; or to the Hon. Treasurer of the fund, A. S. WEBSTER, Esq., Royal Society's Room, Elizabeth-street.
J. SMITH } Vice-
C. MOORE } Presidents.

FUND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FAMILY OF THE LATE SENIOR-SERGEANT WALLINGS.—Persons wishing to subscribe to the above fund will please forward their donations to C. T. BURFITT, 355, George-street.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD will be given to anyone who will give information and on conviction of the person or persons, who by poison destroyed three (3) valuable Black and Tan DOGS on the premises of the Lands Department this day.
3rd October, 1878. WILLIAM LAVENDER.

THE ESTABLISHMENT of the undersigned will be CLOSED on MONDAY, 7th instant.
COHEN, HARRIS, and CO.,
Ironmongery and Cricketing Establishment,
434, George-street.

NOTICE.—My Establishments will be CLOSED TO-MORROW, Tuesday, 8th instant, in consequence of the Annual Picnic of the Tinsmiths in my employ.
GEORGE BARR.

CLOSED To-day, Business resumed TUESDAY MORNING. REYZOR, the Optician, 368, George-street.

NOTICE.—The Corporation Stores, Hay-st., Haymarket, will be closed, This Day, in consequence of holidays. Isaacs.

I DESIRE to publicly thank the Employees of the North Shore Steam Ferry Company for their handsome present of a SILVER WATCH, in recognition of the assistance I gave to my stepbrother, Mr. H. D. BELLET, in saving the life of Mr. STEPHEN HENRY KEENE.
JOHN CHERRY,
Milson's Point.

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WE HAVE this day appointed Mr. J. H. DECENT to act as ADVERTISEMENT CANVASSER, in the place of Mr. LAURENCE LEVY. Mr. Levy is no longer authorised to transact any business on our account.
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NOTICE.—Avoid the Insolvent Court, and apply W. Bryant and Co., public accountants, &c., 120, Elizabeth-st. N.

THIS is the last WEEK that DOGS can be registered at the Post-office, Pyrmont.

DR. GEORGE ON LEE, 34, College-street, Sydney, will leave town 6th October, and return the 14th, and see patients as usual.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
VICTORIA VARNISH COMPANY.
ALEX. BORTHWICK begs to notify that he has REMOVED to more central premises 229, George-street, opposite Bridge-street; and takes this opportunity of thanking his customers for past favours, and begs to inform them that he has just opened a large and select stock of Paperhangings, Oils, Colours, Brushware, and every description of Painters' Materials; also, he wishes to call especial attention to his large and choice variety of Marble and Enamelled Slate Mantelpieces.

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THE ONLY LEON'S FAREWELL BENEFIT, QUEEN'S THEATRE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to W. T. YEOMANS, Painter, &c., Lower George-street, are cautioned not to pay any moneys to any other persons than the undersigned.
164, Pitt-street, October 5. PRINGLE and HYNARD.

I HEREBY apologise to Mrs. WEIRICH for the insulting language I used towards her, and for the statements I made, which are utterly false and without foundation.
Albert-street, Redfern, Oct. 5, 1878. JAMES GLASS.

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October 4, 1878.

Houses and Land for Sale.

BONDI.—VILLA SITES, 66 x 165, 20s per foot; easy terms. S. GRAHAM, Vickery's-chambers.

E. P. DAWBARN and CO., Property Auctioneers and Land Agents, Temple Court, have for SALE as under:
Surry Hills.—Houses, 8 rooms, let at 40s; ditto, 5 rooms, let at 16s 6d; ditto, 6 rooms, good investments—all freehold
Elizabeth-street.—3 Houses, each 5 rooms; rent, 14s each
North Shore.—House, built of stone, 6 rooms, near the Ferry, 85 x 194; title A 1.
Paddington.—Terrace of 3 Cottages; title, Torrens; each 5 rooms; price separately, £400; terms
Waterloo.—Cottage, 4 rooms, garden, large yard, water laid on, 15 x 160; lets at 12s 6d; price, £340
Albion Estate.—Block land with 3 frontages, position A 1.

FOR SALE, Block of LAND, about 12 acres; elevated position, near first properties of the neighbourhood. Terms, half cash, remainder £108 a year. Address LOVEDALE, Concord.

FOR SALE or LEASE, capital business PREMISES, centre Darling-street, Balmain; large shop and cellar, 7 good rooms, side and back entrance, &c., &c. Apply H. PALSER, Grocer, &c., York-street.

FORTY POUNDS will purchase a fine Villa SITE in the Brixton Estate, Rookwood; good soil, nicely elevated, and park-like; large allotment; only ten minutes' walk from station; one-quarter cash, no interest. T. F. Jackson, 153, Pitt-st.

EVELEIGH HOUSE ESTATE, Chippendale.—LOTS 12, 35, 36 for auction SALE by HARDIE and GORMAN, on WEDNESDAY, October 16th. See auction column.

FOR SALE, HOUSE, 4 rooms; freehold; frontage 20, depth 160. Apply L. WALSH, Eveleigh Estate.

HUNTER'S HILL, Lane Cove side, water frontage.—For SALE, a handsome Family RESIDENCE, on large area, flower and kitchen gardens, and every convenience; also one of the prettiest spots on the river. E. RAMSAY, House Agent.

HOUSE for SALE, in Piper street, Woollahra, seven rooms, kitchen, scullery, and shed; plenty of water, gas laid on; every convenience; easy terms. G. KILMINSTER, corner of Ocean and Piper streets, Woollahra.

LAND in all the SUBURBS; also,
STANMORE PLATFORM—An allotment of Land, large frontage
PETERSHAM STATION—Corner Allotment (good business site)
PITT-STREET, REDFERN—Land (easy terms).
C. T. BURFITT, 355, George-street.

LAND! LAND!! LAND!!!
THE FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT.
TAVISTOCK ESTATE,
on the Heights of Ashfield,
150 yards from Summer Hill Platform.
The Builders, Speculators, Gents. in the Civil Service, Tradesmen, Mechanics, Bachelors, Spinsters, young Married Folks, those who contemplate matrimony, and all others who desire a home of their own on the easiest and best terms ever known.
Another fine elevated block of Land is now pegged out into 38 charming Villa SITES, having frontages of 40 to 65 feet to fine good wide streets, 150 yards from Summer Hill platform (to be erected at once), between Petersham and Ashfield.
This is about the only large block of good elevated building land that is for sale so near the railway.
The TAVISTOCK ESTATE adjoins the well-known Summer Hill Estate, and, as regards elevation, charming views, &c., &c., is second to none in the Borough of Ashfield. Those who were disappointed in not getting a block of the Underwood Estate except at such high prices can now suit themselves, and on terms the best ever known.
TAKE NOTICE OF THE TERMS.—Forty-eight monthly instalments, without any interest or expense, no fees, fines, or annoyances too well known to many who join societies.
SPECIAL FEATURES.—Low price, very easy payments, good land, healthy situation, close to railway, &c.
Lithographs will not be ready for a few days, but a plan may be seen and particulars had at the proprietor's residence, JAMES BARTLETT, Prospect Hall, Ashfield, near the land for sale. J. B. at home afternoons.

NORTH ANNANDALE.—ALLOTMENTS all sizes, easiest terms. Office, 294, Pitt-street.

NO. 168, Pitt-street.—PRINGLE and HYNARD have for SALE—
10 Cottages, Waterloo, from £100, £25 cash, and terms
House, Kent-street, a great bargain, position A1, £1100
104 feet land, Surry Hills, 2 frontages, 130, £20 foot
50 x 150, Ashfield, 40s foot; £36 cash, and 4s 4d week
Shop and Dwelling, Pyrmont, let 40s week, £700
Corner, 90 x 50, Stanmore, suit hotel, also cottage, £850
2 Cottages, North Shore, a bargain, 3 frontages, £650.

SEVERAL Splendid ESTATES near Sydney, for SALE, terms liberal. W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

TWENTY-FIVE Acres of LAND, North Shore, for SALE, terms. W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

TOWNSHIP OF BOWRAL.—Attention is specially directed to the Sale, on 9th October, of VALUABLE BUILDING ALLOTMENTS in this RISING and HEALTHY TOWNSHIP, each lot having 1 chain frontage to WIDE streets by a depth of 5 chains. See Auction column.
HARDIE and GORMAN, Auctioneers.

TWO VERY CHOICE VILLA ALLOTMENTS at BONDI, BEAUTIFUL OCEAN VIEW, a few minutes from 'bus, 66 feet frontage to a 66 feet road, Penkivill-street; price, £1 per foot; also, in all the suburbs.
PROPERTIES FOR SALE IN TOWN AND SUBURBS.
ALFRED ALLEN and CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, 49, MARKET-STREET,
SALES OF FURNITURE, LAND, HOUSES, &c., CONDUCTED ON MOST REASONABLE TERMS.
AUCTION ROOMS, 49, Market-street.

WATERSIDE COTTAGE and Block of Land for SALE; a bargain. W. DOUGLASS, 79, King-street.

To Let.

EXTENSIVE new WAREHOUSE, in York-street, one door from Barrack-street, to LET, rent low. John Solomon.

CAMBRIDGE-TERRACE.—To LET, HOUSE, 8 rooms; gas, water. R. Maze, Newtown Road.

CHISWICK, Ocean-street, Woollahra, at present occupied by R. C. Want, Esq., opposite Tara, and adjoining Dr. Nott's residence. This pretty detached suburban home, with GARDEN, stabling, and every convenience, to be LET. Cards to view from Hardie and Gorman, 175, Pitt-street.

CHARMING COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Norwood Hill, Petersham, to be LET, commanding extensive views over Marrickville, Botany, Randwick, and the ocean, containing dining and drawing rooms, 3 bedrooms, large kitchen, bathroom, laundry, and all necessary outhouses; verandahs back and front; gas in every room; garden and paddock; rent, £6 10s per month. Mills and Pile, 154, Pitt-street.

FURNISHED small COTTAGE, comfortable, 14s. Mrs. Cluer, Pitt and Raglan streets, Redfern. Stabling.

NEWTOWN.—To LET, HOUSE, four rooms and kitchen. Wigram-terrace, Bailey-st. J. Biggs, 481, George-st.

NO. 29, Lower Fort-street.—To LET, a very comfortable Family RESIDENCE, every convenience; splendid view of the harbour and surrounding country. E. Ramsay, house agent, 412, George and King streets.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS per annum for a neat RESIDENCE, containing 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, garden, gas; water laid on, &c.; and situated in Pyrmont Bridge Road, Glebe. E. Ramsay, house agent, 412, George and King streets.

PADDINGTON.—To LET, a superior family RESIDENCE, comprising every possible convenience; also, stabling, &c., &c.; having one of the finest views of Moore Park, also of Botany Bay and St. George's River. E. Ramsay, agent.

SHOP to LET in Park-street, near Pitt-street. Apply to A. Ogilvie, No. 30.

SHOP to LET, 4 rooms. No. 9, Cook-street, off Marshall-street.

SHOP, double front and dwelling to LET; central; rent, 55s. J. Hyett, general agent, 494, George-street.

SURRY HILLS.—To LET, a Family RESIDENCE, replete with every convenience, corner Devonshire and Marlborough streets. Apply Mr. Green, oil and colour store, Oxford-street.

TO LET, No. 14, Nelson-terrace, Orwell-street, Darlinghurst; every convenience. Apply on premises.

TO LET, MANANO COTTAGE, rent £130, Cleveland-street; stabling, &c. Pringle and Hynard, 168, Pitt-street.

TO LET, SHOP and Premises, 186, George-street North. Apply C. Kidman, Oxford-street.

TO LET, COTTAGE, 4 rooms, kitchen, laundry, near Woollahra 'bus stand. G. H. Curtis, 147, Pitt-street.

TO LET, No. 2, Maude-terrace, Barcom-street, Darlinghurst, 5 rooms and kitchen. G. H. Curtis, 147, Pitt-street.

TO LET, HOUSES, Darlinghurst, 5 and 6 rooms, from 15s to 17s 6d week. G. H. Curtis, 147, Pitt-street.

TO LET, No. 5, Jarrett's terrace, Leicester-street, Paddington, 5 rooms and kitchen. G. H. Curtis, 147, Pitt-street.

TO LET, SHOP, suitable for hairdresser, tobacconist, and fancy goods. Next Pyrmont Arms, Harris-st., Balmain.

TO LET, pretty COTTAGE, six rooms, one minute from 'bus stand. Apply T. Holland, Leichardt-st., Waverley.

TO LET, a VILLA, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, washhouse, water and gas. E. Sandbrook, Ross-st., N. Kingston.

TO LET, a HOUSE, six rooms, kitchen, bath, gas. No. 47, Swiss-terrace, Brisbane-street.

TO LET, comfortable six-roomed HOUSE. 138, Gipps-street, near Reservoir.

TO LET, five and eight-roomed HOUSES; also, good SHOP. Shine, Mary and Albion streets.

TO LET, Cleveland-street, five newly-erected 5-roomed HOUSES, near Abercrombie-street; rent 15s.

TO LET, 3 small HOUSES, rent 4s. Apply Shop Fitzroy-street, 1 door from Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

TO LET, SHOP, DWELLING, Parramatta Road; every convenience; stable; moderate rent. Bell, Camperdown.

TO LET, two Furnished ROOMS, use of kitchen, near ferry, Blue's Point. Mrs. Cordwell.

TO LET, new HOUSE, Fiona-terrace, Morehead-street, Albert Ground, Redfern. 5 rooms, balcony; rent, 14s.

TO LET, a HOUSE, in Boundary-street, Redfern. Apply Swan with Two Necks, George and Park streets.

TO LET, three and two-roomed HOUSES; rent, 7 and 8 shillings. 148, Sussex-street.

TO LET, back PREMISES, suitable for carpenter's, a large yard. 9, Jamison-street.

TO LET, comfortable five-roomed HOUSE. 491, Riley-street, Surry Hills.

TO LET, from Monday next, one of those neatly-erected premises, Sussex-street, near A. S. N. Co., known as the Globe Stores. C. Kidman, Oxford-street.

TO LET, a nice dry HOUSE in Avoca-terrace, Junction-street, Forest Lodge, near 'bus stand; healthy and pleasant situation; 5 rooms, kitchen, &c.; city water on; rent, 14s. Apply to Mr. A. M'Govisk, on the premises.

TO BE LET, those commodious PREMISES situate in Wynyard-street, at present in the occupation of Messrs. Horace Woolnough and Co. Possession in November. For further particulars inquire of the above.

TO LET, half a mile from Undercliff Bridge, a COTTAGE, containing four rooms, water, and every convenience; suitable for poultry, piggery, or boiling-down. Apply on the premises to Joseph Nobbs, Cook's River.

WANTED to LET BOARDING-HOUSE, furnished. Terms, by letter, Security, HERALD Office.

WESTGATE COTTAGE, Waverley Road, containing every convenience for a family, with ample ground, stabling, &c., &c., at present occupied by Mrs. T. W. F. Wilshire. Cards to view from Hardie and Gorman, 175, Pitt-street.

STORE to LET, 10, Barrack-street. Apply on the premises to James Vickery.

TO LET, STORE, in central position; large area; first-class city site. Gilchrist, Stubbs, and Weston.

ONE Suite of OFFICES to LET, in Hordern's-chambers, George-street, suitable for an architect, solicitor, or insurance company; the rooms are lofty, well lighted, and every possible convenience, and the position unequalled. Apply to Edward Hordern, 676, Brickfield Hill.

TO LET, large front OFFICES. 11, Hunter-street.

TO COMMISSION AGENTS and OTHERS.—STORES to LET on the A. S. N. Co.'s new wharf. Apply to the Manager.

TO MERCHANTS and OTHERS.—To LET by tender for term of years, from 1st January, 1879, those large and centrally situated STORES in Macquarie-place, close to the Custom House and Exchange, and now in the occupation of Messrs. Smith, Brothers.
For further particulars apply to
CHARLES BATH, 2, Bridge-street.
The highest tender not necessarily accepted.

TO BE LET, a PADDOCK, securely fenced, opposite Mann's Hotel, Kent-street. Apply Mrs. Newling, Commercial Hotel, George-street North.

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